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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.,) Jan. 25. Four hundred delegates were present at the Grand Operahouse today when Chairman Hanna of the Executive Committee called the Monetary Con-vention to order. Two Governors, Gov. Mount of Indiana and Gov. Shaw of Mount of Indiana and Gov. Shaw of Iowa, were the speakers at the afternoon session. Gov. Mount delivered 
the speeches of welcome, and Gov. 
Shaw spoke for more than an hour on 
the gold standard and the retirement 
of the greenbacks. 
Gov. Mount spoke briefly. His speech 
was an earnest plea for the maintenance of the gold standard. At the 
conclusion of Gov. Mount's address, 
Chairman Hanna presented Gov. Shaw 
of Iowa to the convention as its per-

of Iowa to the convention as its per chairman, and Gov. Shaw

manent chairman, and Gov. Shaw made an address.

The convention then adjourned until 7 o'clock, when addresses were delivered to a large audience by Hon. C. Stuart Patterson of Philadelphia and Col. Jacob T. Greene of Connecticut. Mr. Patterson spoke on behalf of the monetary commission, as one of its monetary commission, as one of its members.

A significant motion was made before the adjournment of the convention by Mr. Rhoads of New York. It was that when the convention adjourned, the when the convention adjourned, the adjournment be subject o the call of the chair, and not a final adjournment. Mr. Rhoads withdrew his motion at the time, but will renew it tomorrow. His purpose is to place it in the power of the Executive Committee to summon the representatives of the business community together of conventions. community together at any time dur-ing the fight in Congress, when their influence seems likely to be expedient. THE PROCEEDINGS.

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.,) Jan. 25 .- The monetary conference that opened in this city today is the result of a move-ment started by the Indianapolis Mon-etary Convention a little more than a year ago. The commercial body took upon itself the inauguration of the movement, whose primary purpose was monetary reform. Today's convention, which is much larger than the first, which is much larger than the first, was called for the purpose of submitting the plan of the committee heretofore appointed, and securing its adoption. The convention was welcomed to the State by Gov. Mount.

Gov. Shaw of Iowa presided, and C. Stuart Patterson submitted the report of the committee.

Gov. Shaw reviewed the financial aglication from the committee.

tation from the time of the greenback craze, showing that every time the question has been voted upon, the people have declared for sound money and ple declared against an unlimited issue of irredeemable paper currency, so in 1896, by more than a million majority, an enlightened, educated, studious and well-advised people declared that the gold foundation must be maintained. and that the new financial building

must rest thereon alone.
"You, gentlemen," he continued,
"have met as architects, self-appointed,
it may be, but none the less responsible for the wisdom of the plans you shall prepare. It is yours to submit designs and specifications and details, and in this body there is certainly no lack of wisdom, nor of foresight, nor of experience, nor of conscience, nor of responsibility to justify the expectation of a great people that what you shall propose will be worthy of adoption. You have no right, in view of the expressed will of the people, to intimate that our financial dwelling shall rest on anything else than gold. That has been determined. No other foundation must any lay than is laid. The plans you are to submit must be for the suwisdom, nor of foresight, nor of expe-

on anything else than gold. That has been determined. No other foundation must any lay than is laid. The plans you are to submit must be for the superstructure alone, and it wast be as broad as the foundation itself, as wide as the bases and of proportionate height, and it must be fire proof and weather tight. The people have a right to expect it. They have a right also to expect that if the plans you submit shall be rejected others will be adopted and the building go up
"You are safe in assuming that that which shall safely house the rich will also safely house the poor. You will do well to remember that if the roof leak, or if a draught be admitted here, or there, or elsewhere, your children are as likely to suffer from wasting disease contracted thereby, and through your negligence, as are the children of your-neighbor. Every impulse of self-preservation, of parental regard, of philanthropy, of courage, of love, and of sympathy, appeal to you to do you best. You represent today not the banks, for there are few bankers on this floor. You represent the business industries and the financial interests of the country. If you so plan that your factories shall continue, you must so plan that the employé will be well protected, and his wages paid in a currency unquestioned in any land, under any sky, in any port.

"You will do well to turn a deaf ear to those who believe the experience of nations should be ignored, and that it will require a superstructure the like of which has never existed to stand the test of our climate. This, gentlemen, is no time for experiments. The financial history of every nation of any commercial importance justifies the assumption that the laws of trade, and the laws of commerce, and the laws of economics, and the law of competition are, like the law of gravitation, of uni-

versal application; and if left free to operate will do more to equalize burdens and distribute blessings than all the laws that socialism can propose.

"We must have a paper currency. I believe the country at large, without regard to party, agrees to this proposition. We must have a paper currency, and of sufficient volume for the needs of a great and prosperous people, with many and varied interests. Those who believe in the principles indorsed at the polls in 1896, together with those who accept the verdict then rendered as of binding force, agree that every dollar of paper currency must be redeemable, directly or indirectly, exchangeable or convertible, at par for gold. The value of every dollar of United States money, whether of coin or paper currency, must be the equivalent of 25.8 grains of standard gold. The gold coin must be the touchstone, the test, the measure of value of every dollar, by whomsover issued, or how-soever expressed. This paper currency, the volume of which must be coextensive with the needs of the country, should all be issued by the government or by the banks. The time hes passed by when the government should issue a part of the paper currency, other than coin certificates) and the banks a part.

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"Some of the reasons which force themselves upon the minds of the advocates of sound money, and currency reform, why the government should cease to issue naner currency, other than coin certificates, grow out of the necessary distinction in the business methods respectively of the banks and of the government.

"Suppose a national bank incorporated with a capital of \$100,000. It makes such investments of this money as the

such investments of this money as the

government may require; purchases perhaps government bonds; and is permitted to issue an equal amount of curency redeemable on demand in gold. The government provides certain rules, which experience has approved, for the control of the bank, and enforces the same under renally of having its affairs taken possession of and closed out by the Comptroller of the Currency. The bank has now liabilities represented by its capital, and assets represented by its capital, and assets represented by the currency on hand. These are necessarily equal. It loans its currency, and therefor obtains bankable paper. Still liabilities and assets balance. In process of time the currency is presented for redemption. Suppose the bank is unable to redeem it. Immediately the Comptroller of the Currency takes possession, locks the banker out, and proceeds forthwith to sell the assets of the institution and to make redemption of its paper. If its issue be secured by bonds in the United States treasury, then these bonds are sold. The money is obtained, the currency is redeemed, and not a ripple is caused upon our financial sea outside of the immediate vicinity of the bank. "Now, suppose the government issues a like volume of currency, 100,000. The government pays it out, but obtains no assets in return. The only security for the redemption of this paper is the taxing power of the government. It secures its issue not with assets, but with estimates; and these estimates are already covered by exic ing appropriations of Congress. Now, act this paper be presented for redemption and at a time when the gold in the treasury is low. The government, as we have seen, has no assets. It is compelled to borrow; and to borrow it must issue bonds and increase the public debt. No sooner is this resorted to than there comes up from all parts of the country is shaken from center to circumference. A political party immediately springs up and formulates a platform. What it will propose, what it will promise, what it will propose to discharge this liability wi

issue, dollar for dollar, in the best money known to man, and not so much as the fraction of a farthing in amount, nor the fraction of a day in time, will be allowed.

"There seems to be a widespread impression that the banks will reap a great barvest if they be permitted to buy interest-bearing bonds, and deposit them with the government, and then issue a like amount of currency to be loaned out at interest. Armed with an argument based on these suggestions, the opposers of sound money and currency reform seek to arouse prejudice, and I think we are too apt to dodge the issue when we ought manfully to meet it, fearlessly to combat it, and logically and successfully to refute it. Suppose, if you please, the government should refund its entire public debt at 6 per cent. interest, and turn the bonds over to the banks at par (of course I am assuming somepar (of course I am assuming some par (of course I am assuming some-thing I would not advocate, nor con-sent to, but I am doing it for the sake of the argument.) I say, suppose it were to issue 6 per cent. bonds, sell them to the banks at par, and allow the issuance of currency to the full

were to issue 6 per cent. bonds, sell them to the banks at par, and allow the issuance of currency to the full face thereof. What would be the result? It would appear exceedingly profitable, and would invite capital very rapidly into banking channels. "Does any one suppose that the jute of interest would remain where it is now? The bonds of the United States have not been paying 6 per cent. dividends for the last five years. In a very short time, competition would force the rate of interest so low that banking would be no more profitable than at present. It would have the same effect as a bounty on sugar; the price to the consumer would be reduced to the extent of the bounty. There has been no scheme devised, whether involving the sub-treasury system or warehouse certificates or loans to individuals, that would so certainly reduce the rate of interest as the one I have suggested. It is, of course, impossible and impracticable, and is suggested only as illustrative of a great principle that underlies the whole subject. It is necessary that some measure be adopted which shall ultimately transfer the issue of papre currency, other than coin certificates, to banks under nessary that some measure be adopted which shall ultimately transfer the saue of papre currency, other than coin certificates, to banks under manional control, to the end that a currency shall be issued, the parity of which, can be enforced in the courts, and which shall be secured by good and approved assets, ample to insure the safety of the issue.

"An impression exists in some localities that the volume of money has something to do with the price of commodities. No argument is more fallacious and none supported by more sophistry. What is the primary purpose of money, Is it intended that its volume shall balance all property? By no means. Enough currency is needed

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# So That Hawaii May Become American.

# Another Radical Step is Taken by the Island Planters.

All Contract Labor Will Be Abolished After July.

Move That Will Be Bittery Fought by the Spreckels, Davis and Other German and English Interests-What the Originator Says.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES. 1

HONOLULU, Jan. 18.—[Wired from San Francisco Jan. 25. Exclusive Dis-patch.]. It has been made public today from an authoritative source that a bill from an authoritative source that a will be introduced in the next Legislature, which convenes next month, for the abolition of the contract-labor system in the islands, and that the bill will receive such strong support from the American planters that it will un-doubtedly pass. A hard fight is ex-pected from the German and English planters, who will be rather hard hit, but that will not stand in the way, as it has become apparent that contract labor is one of the greatest stumbling blocks to annexation.

The points suggested in the bill are: First, that after Julyi, 1888, no contract for personal services, made or entered into in the republic of Hawaii will be specifically or penally enforcible; sec-ond, that after January 1, 1899, no con-tract for personal services, made or entered into abroad, shall be specifically or penally enforcible in the republic of Hawaii.

Two of the principal American plant ers belonging to the sugar faction, pledged themselves this morning to champion the measure. In explaining the details of the bill the framer, who does not wish to be known just now, says: "This will enable all parties to accommodate themselves to the situa tion long enough beforehand to prevent it from operating harshly or causing any dislocation of the business of the country. It will also cause the system to lapse gradually instead of all at once. It will demonstrate to the peo-ple of the United States that the people and government of Hawaii are in earnest in seeking to put themselves in line with American conditions and methods of labor, and will give us a moral advantage, by means of such demonstration, of far greater value than simply meeting the specific objection to annexation

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

JASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.1 HONOLULU, Jan. 18 .- [Wired from San Francisco, Jan. 25.] One of the most radical bills ever brought before an Hawaiian Legislature will be introan Hawaiian Legislature will be intro-duced at the coming session, which opens on the 16th of next month. If the bill shall carry, it will do away with the contract-labor law that has

### been in vogue in this country for a great many years. From an inside source, it is anticipated that planters of other nationalities will make a figh against it. The Legislature is pruc-tically in the hends of the Americans and at the present time there is n good reason why the bill should no

recome a law.

The Hawaiian contract-labor law ha been a strong argument in the hand-of the anti-annexationists, and the abolishment of the law is expected to aid this country in its fight for closer political union with the United States. The bill will be along the following

First-That from and after the first day of July, 1898, no contract for per-sonal services which was made or en-tered into in the republic of Hawaii shall be specifically or penalty forced.

Second-That from and after the first day of January, 1899, no contract for personal services, which was made or entered into abroad shall be specifically or penally enforced in the republic of Hawaii. Third-That this low shall not apply

to contracts for services of seamen-the seamen's law to be left practically as it is.

Fourth-That this law shall not be

construed to repeal any existing law, in so far as it applies to my existing labor contracts, or which may be en-tered into prior to the dates mentioned. The man who drafted the bill said: "I think the abrogation of the contract-labor system will be an unqualified blessing to the country in more ways than one, and if the government does not see its way clear to take the initiative as a government policy, it should be introduced into the Legislature by a private member, and pushed with all the strength that can be brought to its support at the com-ing session of the Legislature, whether success is achieved at that session of

the Legislature or not.' IISS Concord arrived vesterday nine days from San Francisco. She is enroute to the Asiatic station to re-

#### DOLE LEAVES CHICAGO Accompanied by Assistant-Secre-

tary Cridler and Maj. Heisland.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Sanford B. Dole, President of Hawaii, after a visit of two days, left Chicago under a wild escort of northwestern bilzzard. The President and party left by the Balti-more and Ohio, accompanied by T. W. Cridler, Third Assistant Secretary of State, and Maj. Heisland, military attaché of President McKinley.

#### M'KENNA MAY SAVE HIM. Urge the President to Pardon

the lifernia Counterfeiter.

(1470/CATED PRIES DAY REPORT)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—One of the last acts of Atty.-Gen. McKenna, for he will become Justice McKenna on Wednesday, will be the presentation today to President McKinley of the application for the pardon of L. P. White-field, now serving five years at San Quentin for passing counterfeit money. The application was brought on by the mother of the young man, who ar-rived from Angel's Camp yesterday. Among the papers is the certificate of a physician, that Whitefield has con-sumption and has not long to live. He has served four years and two months

Points of the News in Today's Times.

SUMMARY, Associated Press night report, including commercial, 13,650 words: Times exclusive dispatches, 1126 words; day report, 10,500 words-total 25,276 23

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Golden Jubilee celebration continues

Great Britain's chances good to secure the Chinese loan ... . Madrid papers alarmed at the dispatch of the Maine

Mountain water supply to be investigated by the Council....Police ordered to enforce the liquor laws....Park Commissioner Waters resigns....Bank-tunneler's wife gets a divorce....Bird's second trial begun....Decision in San Luis Obispo bond case....Funeral of Maj. Fitch....Supreme Court sustains ecclesiastical law....Opening of poultry obispo bond case...Funeral of Maj.
Fitch...Supreme Court sustains ecclesisatical law...Opening of poultry and sent to San Quentin from Secrate is statical law...Opening of poultry sonthern California-Page 13.
Suspicious suicide near Lamanda Park...Pieasure wharf project at Santa Monica in jeopardy...Increase in corona's orange and lemon output.
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War scare on the New York Stock Exchange subsides....London silver....Oil City. Pa., oil transactions.... Copper to Havana....Russia offers to furnish and lead....Coast produce quotations.

# Congress Wastes a Day on Politics.

The Teller Resolution Leads to Sharp Colleguy.

Debate as to Whether Prosperity Has Arrived

Pension Bill Passed by the Senate. Mr. Allen Fails to Have Its Total Appropriation Increased-Attack Indian Education.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 .- Today's session of the Senate was characterized by a heated, almost acrimonious de-bate of the financial question. For nearly two hours the Teller resolution was under consideration, the principal speeches being made by Mr. Allison of Iowa, Mr. Berry of Arkansas and Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts. The sharpest colloquy was at times indufged in between the advocates and opponents of the resolution, the debate often ap-proching bitterness. The feature of the discussion was a speech by Mr. Teller, author of the resolution, his statement calling out a suggestion from Mr. Hoar that he (Mr. Teller) ught to have his remarks stricken

ought to have his remarks stricken from the record.

In response to an inquiry by Mr. Spooner, Mr. Vest admitted that he thought the system of coinage referred to in the resolution meant the free and unlimited coinage of silver, that admitted to the coinage of silver, that admitted to the coinage of silver, that admitted the coinage reference of the coinage of silver, that admitted the coinage reference of the c mission apparently giving satisfaction

to the opponents of the inagature.

Under the parliamentary fiction of discussing the Indian Appropriation Bill, the House devoted almost the en-tire day to a political debate in which the main question was whether prosperity had come to the country, as a result of the advent of the present administration.

As speeches were limited to five min-

utes, many members participated, and partisan spirit kept the interest keyed up to a high poich. The acrisiony which usually enciracterizes such debates was aimost entirely absent, and although good-natured, some hard knocks were given and received. Mr. Smith, the Delegate from Arizona,

made an attack on the system of edu-cating the Indians, and Mr. Walker moved to strike out the appropriation for the Carlisle school.

#### FIFTY-FIFTH CONGRESS. REGULAR SESSION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 .- SENATE. On motion of Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts the Senate went into executive session today as son as it convened. The doors were opened at 12:15 o'clock, and Mr. Quay secured the passage of the bill to indemnify the State of Pennsylvania for money expended in 1864 for militia called into military service by

APPROPRIATIONS AND SILVER. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT Mr. Quay also reported the Army Ap-

the government. The amount involved

propriation Bill. Mr. Butler of North Carolina offered an amendment to the Postoffice Bill providing for the extension of rural free delivery to every State and Terri-tory of the Union, and to as many sections of those States and Territories as possible. Mr. Butler said the amend-

wer currency of the country at a par-ity."

Mr.Allison thought if it were the purpose of the advocates of the pend-ing resolution to force a depreciation of one of the great moneys of the country they ought to avow that pur-pose. He maintained that if the ob-

the Contract.

ets of the silver advocates were car-ted into effect it would be impossible a maintain the parity of gold and

to maintain the parity of gold and allver coin:

"If I were assured," said he, "that the resolution would strengthen the credit of the country, I should certainly vote for it."

"Mr. Berry of Arkansas, in an extended speech, declared that the pending resolution was precisely the same as that for which the Senator from Iowa (Mr. Allison voted twenty years (mr. Allison voted twenty years (mr. I) it was not a violation of public faith then, he added, it could not be so now. One of the reasons why he (Mr. Berry) was desirous of the passage of the resolution was that it would disprove the charges brought in 1896 that the Democratic party was composed of repudiationists and dishonorable men.

Mr. Aldrich of Rhode Island. Do

able men.

Mr. Aldrich of Rhode Island. Do
you desire to take from the Secretary
of the Treasury his discretion to pay
government obligations in either gold

or silver.

Mr. Berry. The trouble is the Secre-tary of the Treasury has turned over the government option to the bond-

Mr. Aldrich. Would the passage of the resolution by the Senate and House acts as instructions to the Secretary of the Treasury?

the Treasury?

Mr. Berry. It would, but I am satisfied, in view of the recent actions and words of the Secretary of the Treasury, that he would not obey the instructions.

Mr. Hale of Moine said that when the present law was put in the statute books silver was about twice as valua-ble as it is now, and Mr. Aldrich inter jected the inquiry whether, in view of the fall of the price of silver, the Sena-ter from Arkansas (Mr. Berry) believed the government ought to take advan-tage of its creditor and pay him in the

Mr. Berry replied that he was as of the country as the Senator from Rhode Island, but he held that the bondholders ought to be willing to live up to their contract and accept coin in

eech in favor of the resolution. He colared it was a question of law which "Well,' inquired Mr. Foraker, "does

this resolution mean the same now as it did twenty years ago?"

"Being a question of law," replied Mr. Teller, "it can mean nothing else."

"But was not the resolution of twenty years ago," persisted Mr. Foraker, "passed to meet a stale of affairs existing then that does not now exist?"

"Not at all," replied the Colorado Sension. "No man could then have known what financial legislation Congress would enact. The resolution then bound no man to vote for free coinage, and it binds no man now to so vote." and it binds no man now to so vote."

Mr. Hoar dissented from Mr. Teller's
proposition that that resolution inwolved a question of law, and urged
that it come now to a question of

Teller, "of the position assumed by cer-tain Senators here because they live in the eastern part of this country. They tain Senators here because they live in the eastern part of this country. They are no more honest, they are no more strenuous in upholding the public honor than I am. I want to say here and now that I believe in paying the debts of the government in silver, even if that is the cheaper metal. The government has the right to the difference, according to its contract. The silver dollar which the gentleman from Iowa (Mr. Allison) says is not as good as the gold dollar, is paid to the mechanic, the artisan and laborer in liquidation of obligations incurred with them, and I hold that the bond purchaser is no better than the man with the blistered hands, and ought to be paid in the same money. The Secretary of the Treasury is now bound by law to regard the interests of the people, but that department has been making laws to suit itself for twenty years."

Mr. Teller held that there could be no degredation in paying the bills of the government in silver.

Mr. Fairbanks arose and endeavored to prove a question to Mr. Teller

Mr. Fairbanks arose and endeavored to propose a question to Mr. Teller.
"Sit down," cried the Colorado Senator, "Tve been badgered enough."
As Mr. Fairbanks sat down, Mr. Tel-

As Mr. Fairbanks sat down, Mr. Teler said he would answer tomorrow the question, but he did not desire to be interrupted now.

Mr. Hoar replied to Mr. Teller in a speech in which he deplored "the remarkable effort" of the Colorado Senator. He contended that the question was not one of legal power, but of honor and good faith. He would not say that the Senator from Colorado had "squirmed" out of the question, nor would he order him to "sit down," as he had ordered the Senator from Indiana.

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"If I were the Senator," said Mr. Hoar, "I would have the entire speech stricken from the record."

Mr. Hale of Maine declared the debate during the day had settled the fact that it was the desire of the advocates of the resolution to bring the country to a silver basis and to make the payment of all debts, public and private, in silver, which was now worth less than half what gold is worth. He was willing, he said, to have the people of the country pass upon that proposition.

Vest of Missouri insisted that Mr. Vest of Missouri insisted that the Maine Senator's remarks had placed the advocates of the resolution in a false light. "We are not monometallists." said he, "but bimetallists." Mr. Allison asked Mr. Vest whether he thought the Bland-Allison act in substantial compliance with the concurrent resolutions of twenty years ago.

ago.
"This is no financial kindergarten," said Mr. Vest. "The Senator from Iowa ought to know what the Bland-Allison act meant because he framed it him-

"I want an answer to my question," said Mr. Allison, "and if it requires a financial kindergarten to obtain an answer. I would like to have the Senator than Missaud and such a school with the senator." om Missouri open such a school now." The Senate then, at 5:45 o'clock, ad-urned. HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

HOUSE .- A bill was passed granting an American register to the foreign-built steamer Navajo. The House then went into committee of the whole and resumed consideration of the Indian Appropriation Bill, but consumed con-siderable of the afternoon in a discus-sion of the industrial conditions, the Republicans affirming and Democrats denying that prosperity has returned. THE DEBATE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] Mr. Richardson (Dem.) of Tenness adduced some figures and financial au-thorities to prove that prosperity had

on tyet appeared.

"If prosperity has not returned," asked Mr. Stone (Rep.) of Pennsylvania, "how does it happen that in all the industrial region men are employed and that they are not supported by charity, as they were under the Cleveland administration?"

"The trouble with the goatleward."

land administration?"
"The trouble with the gentleman," replied Mr. Richardson, "is that his premises are all wrong. Labor is not employed in all the industrial regions. In New England 125,000 2 workers are

now on a strike."

Messrs. Grosvenor, Stone, Dingley and other Republicans rose to reply, and in the confusion Mr.—Richardson-called out that he had no desire to interfere with Mr. Stone's gubernatorial

"I am glad to have the indorsement that side," replied Mr. Stone,

smillng.

Mr. Grosvenor cited the wool-raising industry and examples of what the Dingley law had done.

Mr. Dockery (Dem.) of Missouri, in Biscussing the cotton-mills strike, con-

tended that the strike had been urged by the operators in order that they might dispose of their surplus stock. The trouble was that we were enormously overproducing in this country, and in the face of that fact the Republican party was restricting and narrowing our markets.

The political debate continued for an hour, the Republicans maintaining and the Democrates denying the existence of prosperity.

Mr. Smith (Dem.) of Arizona made an attack on the present system of educating the Indians. He declared that the Carlisle and Hampton schools were a mistake: that an Indian could not be civilized by teaching bim to read and write and sing a psalm. The Indian could be considered to the country of the country o dian, he said, must receive an industrial education, but it must be given him in the vicinity of his home, not it the East. In this bill, he said, \$2,500.

the East. In this bill, he said, \$2,500.000 was wasted.

Mr. Walker (Rep.) of Massachusetts agreed with Mr. Smith that the present policy was unsatisfactory, illogical and impracticable. He moved to strike out the appropriation for the Carlisle school.

Without voting on the amendment, the committee rose, and at 5:20 p.m. the House adjourned.

David Dunne to Be Collector of Revenue in Oregon. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The President today sent the following nomination to the Senate:
David Dunne, to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the District of Ore-

GRIGGS ALL RIGHT. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The Senate has confirmed the nomination of J. W. Griggs of New Jersey, to be Attorney-General of the United States.

CALIFORNIA POSTMASTERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Among the fourth-class postmasters appointed today for California were: Glendora, Les Angeles crunty, James H. Wansley, vice George Graham, removed; Sespe, Ventura county, Caroline E. Smith, vice Angie Allan, resigned; Kern, John Lemasters

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Pension for a Pasadena Womi Los Angeles Land Cases. [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Barlow has procured for Mrs. Edwards of Pasadena a pension of \$3 and back pension money amounting to \$320. It had been pending four years. Copies of Barlow's and White's fruit quarantine bill are exhausted. There s great interest in it, and a hundred

nore will be printed. Secretary Bliss today reversed the decision in the land-office case, of Oliver F. Woods, from the Los Angeles District. The land in controversy is within the conflicting grants of the Southern the conflicting grants of the Southern Pacific and Atlantic and Pacific roads. The Secretary holds that the former road had no title, and Oliver, an innocent purchaser, is entitled to purchase the land under the Act of March 3, 1889 Secretary Bliss has affirmed the de-

sision in the case of the Southern Pa-Los Angeles District. to be entitled to the land by residence

A QUEER CUSTOMER.

POINTS A REVOLVER AT JUDGE

Demands Five Thousand Dollars Under Penalty of Death, but is Lugged Off to Jail-A Bottle of Nitroglycerine Found on Him.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] ST. LOUIS, Jan. 25 .- About noon towalked into the private office of Judge Madill, president of the Union Trust Company, and, pointing a revolver at the gray-haired financier's head, demanded \$5000 in cash, threatening to cill him if the money was not paid. Judge gaged the man in conversation until the detectives arrived and handcuffed him. The would-be robber, whose name is unknown, was taken to the Four Courts and locked up. bottle of nitro-glycerine was found in his pocket. The police spent all the afternoon trying to get him to reveal

his identify, but failed. The young man who made the assault was about 22 years of age, with heavy dark complexion, lowering eyes, gold-rimmed spectacles and a walk that aproachedp a stride. He wore a long overcoat and a peculiar-looking

ABRAHAM'S MISTAKE.

Talked Too Much About Peculations from an Express Company.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 25 .- In these dispatches on the night of January 18 a statement was made that more than thirty unfaithful employes of the Adams Express Company in this city had been discovered concerned in recent peculations amounting to a sum between \$2000 and \$3000. This allegation grew out of a conversation between a reporter and Attorney Abraham Levy, who gave as his best impression at that time the numbers and amounts above stated.

Being prompted by the exact facts Mr. Levy, in fairness to the interests involved and to himself, desires the statement to be made that there were not at that time mentioned peculations in the number indicated, nor to the extent stated. The information sent on the date named indicated that pecula-tions were conducted systematically among employés of the express com-pany, and this statement, Mr. Levy feels, is equally fair to himself to say, was not warranted by utterances of his at the time.

Disturbed Mrs. Kelly's Peace SAN JOSE, Jan. 25.—William Offield had Richard Lewis arrested today for disturbing the peace of Mrs. Annie Kelly. Mrs. Kelly was shot and almost killed by her husband on the night of November 28, 1896. Kelly was wounded by the officers, and afterward died. Before his death Kelly stated that Lewis was to blame for all the trouble, and that his wife had supplied him money to live on. Lewis became smitten with Mrs. Kelly, and on her refusal to marry him created some disturbance several times. This is the second time he has been arrested on the charge, and, as before, he was released on his own recognizance, he agreeing to leave town.

Market Superintendent Dend. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Thomas Brown, for the past thirty-one years superintendent of the California mar-leat is dead.

DIRIGO HER MOTTO.

THE MAINE'S GUNS THUNDER FORTH AT HAVANA.

But it Was Only a Penceful Salut

HER ARRIVAL A SURPRISE.

Madrid Newspapers Pretend to Fea. That Insurgents Will Now Be More Bold—Gen. Lee Has a

Misunderstanding.

MUCH CURIOSITY MANIFESTED BY

THE SPANIARDS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] HAVANA, Jan. 25.—[By Central American Cable.] The United States battleship Maine, commanded by Charles D. Sigsbee, which left Key West, Fla., January 24, arrived here at 11 o'clock this morning, and was saluted by the forts and war vessels

port. A report is current that the United States Consul-General, Fitzhugh Lee, and Dr. Cosgosto, Secretary-General for the government, have had a slight mis-

NOTHING UNPLEASANT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]
HAVANA, Jan. 25.—After forwarding the bulletin referring to the report in circulation of a misunderstanding beween Gen. Fitzhugh Lee and Gen gosto, the correspondent called upon United States Consul-General and was informed that nothing unpleasan had happened at the inferview which took place between himself and Dr

Shortly after the arrival of the Maine Lieut. Albert Medrato, representing the Captain of the Port, Vice-Admiral Jose Pator, visited the United States battle ship and extended the customary cour-tesies. The arrival of the warship caused much surprise, as indicated by the curiosity manifested.

FORMALITIES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 .- The Cab net met at the usual hour, but gave only a short notice to the subject of only a short notice to the subject of the Cuban situation, which was con-fined to expressions of satisfaction at the manner in which the American press and people had received the news of the action of the government in sending the Maine to Havana.

There was no news from Gen, Lee of later date than yesterday. Two cablegrams came last night, but they were not of any significance, It was said they were answers to questions put previously by the State Depart-ment, and it is presumed one, at least, had reference to the reported presence of German ships in Havana Harbor. The other reported that he was unable to feed 20,000 persons daily in the city. It was stated positively that in neither cablegram was there any request for a warship, or reference to the Maine's movements.

quest for a warship, or reference to the Maine's movements.

The Consul-General, however, has been advised of the government's intentions, and is expected to report the Maine's arrival to the State Department. A message came to the Navy Department from Admiral Sicard this morning. He wired that he had received and executed Secretary Long's order respecting the Maine, and that she would sail at once. The order was probably received by the admiral about 10 o'clock last night while off Tortugas Harbor, and the answer came back to Key West on the torpedo boat Dupont, which carried over the order.

The procedure to be followed by the Maine upon her arrival off Havana is

The procedure to be followed by the Maine upon her arrival off Havana is laid down at the Navy Department as follows: Being daylight (for no craft is permitted to enter the harbor during darkness.) at the entrance of the harbor the Maine will begin to fire a harbor the Maine will begin to fire a salute of twenty-one guns. As soon as the last gun has been fired, the guns of Moro Castle will begin a return salute of the same number of guns. Then, as there is a Spanish admiral in the harbor, the salute must be fired by the Maine in his honor. This salute will be returned in kind, and probably the Spanish authorities will send a stoff Spanish authorities will send a stoff Spanish authorities will send a staff officer aboard the Maine to greet Capt. Sigsbee. This call must be returned, and then there may be a visitation from the port, health and other officers. Meanwhile, presuming that Consul-General Lee has not appeared, Capt. Sigsbee will send one of his officers General Lee has not appeared, Capt. Sigsbee will send one of his officers ashore to the United States Consulate with a message to Gen. Lee stating that the Maine is awaiting his orders, and indicating that he would be pleased to receive the Consul-General aboard or to call upon him ashore, at his pleasure. These calls having been exchanged, the next thing in order will be a reception to the acting general, as Gen. Blanco has gone east as far as Calabano. With this the ceremonies will conclude so far as custom prescribes, though there may be some entertainments extended to the Maine's officers by the officials in Havana. It is likely the ship's crew will be kept closely aboard the ship. In this way the probabilities of an unfriendly encounter between convivial parties of counter between convivial parties sallors and rowdies will be reduced.

MAY PROVOKE CONFLICT. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

MADRID, Jan. 25.—The Imparcial ex-presses fear that the dispatch of the United States battleship Maine will rovoke a conflict, and adds: "Europe annot doubt America's attitude toward opein, but the Spanish people, if nec-ssary, will do their duty with honor."

THINK IT INOPPORTUNE. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] MADRID, Jan. 25 .- The newspape generally comment upon Secretary Long's explanation of the United States battleship Maine's visit to Havana, and express the opinon that her visit is inopportune and calculated to encour-age the insurgents.

GOT HER ORDERS. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—The torpedo-boat Dupont, which left Key West at 6 o'clock last evening with the Maine's sailing orders, halled the Maine at Dry Tortugas and delivered the orders for the battleship to proceed to Havana. The Dupont then returned to Key West. She reports that the Maine was about to sail when she left. It is believed by the State Department that the Maine entered the harbor at Havana at the earliest hour this morning that Spanish port regulations permit. No direct report, however, has as yet been received from Havana.

BLANCO'S MISSION. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25 .- The . tor

Cuba. The Governor-General leaves Havana without any misgivings as to the maintaing of order.

The inflammatory anti-American circulars scattered about the city were so palpably, written by insurgent sympathizers that the volunteers took no notice of them.

Yesterday was a favorable time for the display of ultra-Spanish feeling, it being the young King's "saint" day, or "name" day, the anniversary of his ohristening, but there was not a ripple of trouble.

Speaking of the report of an impending attack on Americans, Gen. Lee said: "I never knew Americans to be so well thought of since I have been in Havana as now. The rumor was probably of the Key West brand. There is no apparent activity in social circles."

WARSHIPS FOR US.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] MADRID, Jan. 25.—Admiral Chacor the admiral of the fleet, arrived her today, and had a long conference with Admiral Bermejo, the Minister of Marine. He asserted that the recent evolutions had demonstrated the perfect condition of the feet. The next Cabinet council will decide what American ports council will decide what American ports
the Spanish men-of-war are to visit.
The Spanish papers shærply stigmatize the Maine incident as an act of
unwarranted provocation. Most of them
counsel the people of Havana to show
forbearrance. In official circles, the

needless to attach importance to the visit of an American vessel to Havana. THAT SPANISH WARSHIP. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.-Assistan Secretary of State Day, on being shown the dispatch saying a Spanish warship would be sent to America, said merely that the department had heard nothing

tendency is to accept the argument that the United States is friendly, and it is

THE DOUBLE STANDARD.

of it so far, but would probably be notified by Minister Woodford in case

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY HAS SOUGHT TO ESTABLISH IT.

His Official Family are United With metallism - Notable Speech by

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 25.—The sev enth annual meeting of the Trade League of Philadelphia was held to-night in the Academy of Music, at which the principal speaker was Hon. Lyman J. Gage, Secretary of the

W. W. Foulkrod, president of the league, introduced Secretary Gage. He was warmly received and held the attention of the large audience throughout. He spoke on the subject of "Finance," and his remarks were frequently punctuated with applause. He said in part:

said in part:
"It is not upon wages that the injurious effect of a gold appreciation falls. It is upon those who own the land, the forest and the mines, if upon any, that the injurious effect is visited. This is all so plain that one can-not comprehend how the wage-earner can be misled by that iridescent orcan be misled by that iridescent orator who, by multitudes of words,
couched in ambiguous and sophistical
phrases, seeks to obscure judgment.

"It is the complaint now of labor
that rent and interest are able to take
to themselves a disproportionate share,
Do we, indeed, not know that the tendency of wages is to become conventionally fixed, and that a rise in the
rate, though it follows the law of supply and demand, is not so quickly responsive to that law as are wares and
merchandise, the product of labor.

"It would to us appear that an effort
to reduce the power of official salaries

"It would to us appear that an effort to reduce the power of official salaries and fixed incomes by paying them in a cheaper money would have an effect in the same direction upon wages. Besides this, it must be remembered that fixed incomes' is a relative term; it includes the few on whose large income the decreased power would not be noticed as an inconvenience even, but it includes also the humble investments of the multiplied thousands, and would blight with its mildew the result of toil and economics represented by the savings of more than five million people, now held in the savings banks of our land.

ple, now held in the solver scythe our land.
"No, it will not do—this silver scythe the widow;"

Treaches the widow;

The control of the cont "No, it will not do—this silver scytne cuts too deep. It reaches the widow's mite and the wage-earner's pay. The revival of industry now witnessed and the easy condition as to interest which now transfers capital, are the best witnessest to the densers from which

witnesses to the dangers from which we have been delivered.

"In a recent speech Mr. Bryan said:
'If our enemies boast that they have buried bimetallism, we point to these wage reductions as the weeping willows which have sprung up about its temporary tomb." Beautifully expressed, but quite beside the point. In the first place, the record is against pressed, but quite beside the point. In the first place, the record is against them. Wages have been advanced. There are no weeping willows around the tomb of bimetallism at which to point. Besides, his enemies, if he means the Republican party, are not boasting that they have buried bimetallism, they proclaim themselves' its friends; thep approve it in the platform. The present head of that party has been active to secure it under the form. The present head of that party has been active to secure it under the only conditions by which it can be maintained, namely, international agreement, with open mints to both

agreement, with open mints to both silver and gold.

"In his efforts he has the support of all the members of his official family, innuendoes and declarations from various sources to the contrary notwithstanding. Until it can be secured in this national manner, we propose to maintain the kind of bimetallism we have now, under which \$500,000,000 or more of silver are kept on a parity with gold."

As soon as Secretary Gage had fin-As soon as Secretary Gage had fin-shed, he left the hall to attend the banquet of the Commercial Exchange on the Hotel Walton.

On the iEghth Ballot Gorman's Suc

cessor is Chosen.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

ANNAPOLIS, Jan. 25 .- Judge Lewi E. McComas was today elected United States Senator to succeed Arthur P. Gorman. The ballot on which he was elected was the first of the day, and the eighth since the contest began, resulting in his receiving 63 votes to 4 for Shaw of Baltimore, the only other Republican who remained in the race. Senator Gorman got 47 votes, the full Democratic strength in both houses. NOTHING AT NASHVILLE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NASHVILLE (Tenn.,) Jan. BLANCO'S MISSION.

Will No Doubt Try His Hand at Bribing Insurgents.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—A dispatch to the World from Havanan says that Gen. Blanco's departure for Eastern Cuba was not for the purpose of taking the field. His trip seemingly will be one of inspection, although it is said that he will confer with an important mulatto insurgent chief in that part of part of the purpose of taking the field. His trip seemingly will be one of inspection, although it is said that he will confer with an important mulatto insurgent chief in that part of part of the Legislature today for United States Senator. Hon, E. J. Sanford (Rep.) of Knoxville received the votes of the Republican members of the Legislature today for United States Senator. Hon, E. J. Sanford (Rep.) of Knoxville received the votes of the Republican members of the Senator and House. Each of the Democratic candidates. ote was taken in each branch of the

PIG-TAILED DEVILS.

ATTACK BY CHINESE PIRATES ON HAIPHONG.

Fires Were Started by the Band Outlaws in the Native and European Quarters.

ASSAULT ON AMBIEN VILLAGE. FRENCH TROOPS CHARGE WITH

FIXED BAYONETS. Fifteen Hostiles Killed and Several Wounded-Murder of a Book-keeper-Clerk Wounded.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Asso lated Press dispatches from Vancou ver on the 12th inst. contained an ac-count of a raid by Chinese pirates upon he European settlement at Halphong. The steamer Coptic, which arrived from the Orient today, brought full particulars of the murderous affair, and the punishment meted out to those of

Ten Behended.

the offenders who were captured. The pirates first attacked the Hai-Duong at 8 o'clock on the night of December 15. It was fired in four quarters simultaneously, and half of this provincial capital was destroyed. The Resident and his family and the European officials were compelled to abandon the residence during a sortic of the troops and take shelter in the fort, as the force was too small to admit of meeting the pirates, who wer armed with rifles, in the open.

At Phu-Ninh-Giangs there were no

casualties among the Europeans, but considerable damage was done to the

About 3 o'clock in the morning of December 16 several hundred Anna-mites crossed the River Lachtray in small bands and converged upon Haiphong. Shortly afterward several fires started in the European and native quarters on the outskirts of the town Reports of firearms were heard in Reports of firearms were heard in every direction, and a constable ran to the barracks and gave the alarm. Meanwhile another band, about one hundred and fifty strong, attacked the village of Ambien. This was headed by an old man, who marched in the center of four standards, which bore the inscriptions: "Obey the order of heaven. Destroy the Europeans. Exterminate the dynasty of Ngu Yen and Mac."

About 4 o'clock a company of Franch.

Mac."

About 4 o'clock a company of French troops in two divisions turned out and charged the rear guard of the pirates with fixed bayonets. Fifteen of the pirates were killed, and several more were wounded and taken to the hospital. In the meantime the pirates had entered the house of A. R. Marty and killed his book-keeper, M. Gauthier, after horribly mutilating him. His seven-year-old child also disappeared. They then attacked M. Dulce, clerk for the Fauuse Mining Company, and left him for dead. He was taken to the hospital, however, and may recover. The following Saturday, ten of the captured pirates were executed upon the spot where M. Gauthier was assassinated, and after the execution the heads of the pirates were placed upom stakes and set up in front of the house. About two hundred Europeans and five hundred natives witnessed the execution. About 4 o'clock a company of French

FEELING AGAINST EUROPE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.1 VICTORIA (B. C.,) Jan. 25.-Capt Porter of the steamer Braemar, which arrived from the Orient this morning arrived from the Orient this morning, says he learned on very good authority that a firm of long standing in the Orient is buying up all the Weish and English coal that can be procured in China and Japan in behalf of Great

He also says there is now in Japan a He also says there is now in Japan a very strong feeling against Europe, mainly, however, among the lower classes. So great is the feeling that the government has issued proclamations commanding all Japanese, under severepenalty, to treat Europeans with the greatest respect.

RUSSIA WILL RELENT

LONDON, Jan. 25.-The St. James likely to persist in

her opposition to the opening of Talien

TO PLACATE RUSSIA. inglish Papers Minimizing the Ef-

feet of the Chancellor's Speech.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW YORK, Jan. 25 .- According the World's correspondent, the speech of Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, declaring that Great Britain will demand free commerce for the world in Chinese ports, continues to be the sensational feature of all discussion of the compli-

cations in China. George W. Smalley's Times dispatch today, quoting editorials from New York papers praising England's atti-tude as exemplified in Beach's speech tude as exemplified in Beach's speech, is prominently reproduced by the evening papers as evidence that England, in keeping open the Chinese markets, will find an ally not only in Japan, but in the United States.

The Times this morning publishes ar officially-inspired editorial, minimizing the gravity of the Chancellor's words "whose strong expressions," it complains, "have been strangely misinterpreted."

The Times continues: "It has been imagined that the Chancellor of the Exchequer delivered something like an ultimatum with regard to the proposed loan. In reality he did nothing of the kind. He merely said that England would never allow her commerce to be excluded from the Chinese markets. Our attitude is in no sense aggressive, but merely self-defensive."

This remarkable attempt to explain away the Chancellor's bellicose declaration is made to placate Russia. The Times continues: "It has been

ENGLISH CHANCE GOOD

Expected to Secure the Chines. Loan Instead of Russia.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

PEKING, Jan. 25.—[By Atlantic Ca-ble. Delayed in transmission.] Another loan conference with the Tsung-Li-Yamen has taken place, the latter receiv ing the Russian representative in the morning and the British Minister in the afternoon. It is believed that the British Minister, Sir Claude McDonald, insists upon the opening of the port of Tallen-Wan and that Great Britain will not recede from that demand. Whether Great Britain or Russia, shall secure the loan depends upon which exerts the greater pressure. It Great Britain shall undertake to protect China against Russia's displeasure, it is believed the loan will be concluded on the terms offered by Sir Claude McDonald.

Germany's lease of Kiaochau has British Minister, Sir Claude McDonald

finally been fixed at ninety-nine years. CANAL IS PRACTICABLE

BARKIS IS WILLIN'. LONDON, Jan. 25.—The Peking cor-responding of the Times says: "Russia has notified the Tsung-Yi-Lamen of her willingness to provide a loan on the her willingness to provide a loan on the same terms as England's offer. France supports Russia in the matter."

AN EDITOR SPILLED.

HENRY LOOMIS NELSON UPSET IN A SEWER TRENCH.

His Carriage Struck a Heap of Earth and the Harper's Weekly Man and His Wife Were Throw Out—Both Injured and the Coachman Crippled.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES. NEW ROCHELLE, Jan. 25 .- [Exclusive Dispatch.] Henry Loomis Nel-son, editor of Harper's Weekly, and his wife were injured last night by the upsetting of their carriage while driving to the Nelson home. A sewer trench had been left open. The car-riage struck a heap of earth near an excavation, and it and its occupants fell into the trench.

sprained, and he was bruised about the body. Mrs. Nelson's head was bruised, and her face is badly swollen Her right arm and hand were pain-fully cut. The coachman may be cripoled for life. Nelson said tonight that he would be unable to write for sev-

Coiner Richardson's Doom

Colner, Richardson's Doom.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—John W. Richardson, convicted of coining silver dollars at Auburn, was today sentenced to two years in San Quentin by United States Circuit Judge de Haven. Richardson is 60 years old, a veteran of the civil war and received a pension from the government. His sentence as a felon will stop his pension, and will debar him from entering the Soldiers' Home.

GOOD NEWS FROM THE COMMISSION

The Work Can Be Done for Less Than Three-quarters of the Original Estimate—An Ohio-New York Syndicate Has Captured

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Herald's correspondent with the Nicaragua Canal Commission says, under date of Nicaragua, January 18, that the canal commission there cabled to Washington two days ago, as follows: "The canal of Nicaragua is practicable for less than three-quarters of the original estimate. Four and a half to six and a half years are required to build it. Four thousand eight hundred laborers are needed to commence the work. These should be divided into groups, 2200 between Rio San Juan and Castillo, 1800 between Corinto

within three months."

This reply was received by the commission: "A company in Ohio and New York has been duly formed to engage men from Puerto Barrios, Ja-maica, Balize and Nicaragua."

The Herald correspondent adds that each of the thirteen engineers with the commission represents a big syndicate, each fighting to get the contract, but the Ohio and New York millionaires have secured it.

and Momotombo, and 800 in Managua,

This number of men should be doubled

have secured it. Renr-Admiral McNair Returns.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25—Rear Admiral McNair, late commander of the Asiatic squadron, U.S.N., arrived here today on the Coptic. Commodore Dewey is now in charge of the Asiatic fleet. He hoisted his pennant over the flagship Olympia on the 3d of the present month. Killed by a Kick.

LODI, Jan. 25.—Frank Peirano, the seven-year-old son of G. Peirano, died here this afternoon from a kick on the head by a horse. The boy's skull was crushed by the force of the kick.

A MUSEMENTS AND ENTERTAINMENTS-

VAN NUYS BUILDING-396-330 South Main Street January 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29, 1898. Poultry. Pigeon and Pet Stock Exhibition.
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THE EATING-HOUSES DOING A BIG

Eight Lives Lost in the Fire a Spokane-Pelican Given Up-Dr. Brown Bound to Preach.

[DY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The second day of the jubilee was noteworthy for the reception given by the Native Daugnters of the Golden West to veterans, ploneers, exempt firemen, Native Sons

and the general public.

Between 2 and 5 o'clock the main hall in the Native Sons' building on Mason street was crowded with visitors. Mrs. Torres, the oldest Native Daughter in the State, was a guest of honor. The hall in which the guests were received was made charmingly attractive by members of the order. In front of the entrance had been erected a large plat-form, which was almost conceased by a wealth of tropical plants and palms. Above waved four American flags, and a large bear in the center completed the pretty effect.

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N.D.G.W., made entirely of popples, and looking brilliant amid the dark foliage. The hall beneath the main one had been converted into a banquetroom. Long tables graced the hall, and amid the numerous bouquets were placed dainties and delicacies of all sorts, served to the guests by an at-tractive and handsome bevy of Native

In this hall was stationed the Calaveras band, which played lively airs. At 8 o'clock this evening a promenade concert was held, lasting until mid-night. At this function the veterans in full uniform were guests of the Na-tive Daughters, and hundreds of other guests were entertained.

The city is crowded with strangers,

and the carnival colors make the streets bright and attractive. So great is the number of those who depend upon res-taurants, that scarcely a seat can be had in any of the large eating-houses at the usual hours for lunch and din-

#### WELCOME TO ALL. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25 .- The feature of today's programme in celebration of the Golden Jubilee was the re by the Native Daughters of the Golden

The various pariors in San Francisco, Alameda and Oakland—thirteen in all—combined to do their share in entertaining San Francisco's guesse, and a right royal welcome was extended to all. The reception was held at Native Sons of the Golden West Hall on Mason street, between the hours of 2 and 5 o'clock p.m.

During the afternoon the orchestrathat was in attendance rendered many selections, as did also the. Angels' Camp Brass Band. Light refreshments were served in the banquet hall, and throughout the afternoon a constant stream of people poured in and out of the building.

This evening the reception will be continued from 8 to 12 o'clock p.m. At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, the Veteran Firemen will be the especial guests of the Native Daughters. The Pioneers will also be entertained.

The evening will be devoted to a promenade concert, at which a musical and literary programme will be rendered. One of the features will be an address by Grand President Mrs. Beli W. Conrad. The various pariors in San Francisco

# THE SPOKANE FIRE.

#### Eight Lives Lost and Perhaps Nine. Debris Still Burning.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SPOKANE (Wash.,) Jan. 25.-Eight lives and probably nine were lost in last night's fire in the Great Eastern

MISS ALICE WILSON, aged 18, employed as a hat-trimmer.

MAUD WILSON, aged 5; her sister. MRS. ROSE SMITH, aged 20. MRS. H. G. DAVIES, an elderly lady from Nebraska City, Neb.; fell in de-scending from the fifth story; died at the hospital this morning. hospital this morning.

B. GORDAN, mining engineer and

MPS. CORA PETERS.

ETHEL PETERS.
ALMA PETERS. her daughters, aged respectively, 9 and 7.
It is also thought that Mrs. Peters's It is also thought that Mrs. Peter's son Charles, axed 12, perished, but there are reports that he was saved and taken into the country by relatives.

Mrs. Davi's was living with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Pronger. They had rooms on the fifth floor, and found themselves cut off from the stairway and fire-escape. The firemen failed in their efforts to lift badders to the fifth story owing to a tangle of electric-light

and fire-escape. The firemen failed in their efforts to lift bedders to the fifth story, owing to a tangle of electric-light and telephone wires.

Pronger discovered two large wires running up the outer wall of the building. He climbed down these to the fourth story and managed to catch the top of the sweving ledder in a network of wires. He descended to the ground, and was followed back up the ladder on all shoulder. This was connected with the main ladder, Mrs. Pronger caught it and musde fast to the other end, and she then descended in safety.

Meanwhile Mrs. Davies had tried to follow Mr. Pronger, but in the dense smoke missed the ladder. She came on down, hand-under-hand until she reached the second story. There she lost hold and fell to the stone pavement. She was 72 years of age. One son Samuel T. Davies is a merchant at Nebraska City: another, Rev. F. G. Davies, is pastor of the First Baptist Church at Ottumwa.

None of the remains of those lost have been recovered. The four walls of the big building remain intact and fire is still burning in the basement. On that angalling mass of blackened debris lie the bodies of the victims.

The local boned of insurance agents estimate the total pronerty loss at \$225,000; insurance, \$133,000.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT. SPOKANE (Wash...) Jan. 25.—As a esuit of a disastrous fire which broke out shortly before midnight last night in the Great Eastern business block on Riverside avenue, at least eight lives were lost, and the burned remains are slidden in a mass of debris in what was the basement. The flames started in

the basement, it is thought, from a boiler explosion, and when the alarmwas given that part of the building was a roaring furnace. The fourth and fifth floors were used as apartments, and nearly 150 people were in the rooms at the time. Several brave men risked their lives to climb the stairs and arouse the sleeping people.

By this time the streets were filled with a horrified throng, and men and women were appearing at the windows imploring those below to save them. The corridors had become filled with dense smoke, and men, women and children were falling there from suffocation. Several half-elad people were helped down the fire escapes. Trembling women, clad only in their night-robes, stepped barefooted into the snow in the streets, and, fainting, were carried to places of safety and shelter. The firemen worked with desperate energy, and saved many lives, but their efforts were terribly handicapped by a network of wires around the flaming building.

The scene was one of horrible faccination. The throng in the streets were frantic with horror, and the awful gloom was only relieved when some act of heroism or courage saved an endangered life. Then a great cheer would go up. American courage was never seen to better advantage. Brave men risked their lives time and again to rescue women and children, and the thrilling scene was repeatedly witnessed of a daring man climbing down a narrow fire-escape from the top stories of the roaring building with a fainting women or, a screaming child in his arms.

The report that G. de Albert, a vlollinist and brother of the famous planist, is missing, proves unfounded. He was not in the building at the time, and has heen located.

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# TWO VICTIMS. [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.,) Jan. 25.—A special to the Journal from Spokane Wash., says: "It is now absolutely certain that G. Du Albert and a Mrs. Lewis were burned to death in the firehere. Du Albert was a violinist, and only came to the city a few weeks ago." MINNEAPOLIS (Minn...) Jan. 25,-

#### HORSES FOR KLONDIKE. Yoah Legault Comes Down in Search

of Pack Animals.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] STOCKTON, Jan. 25.—Noah Legault, recently from Dawson City, is here to purchase horses, which he will take back with him in the spring to be used

as pack animals.
In conversation with an Associated In conversation with an Associated Press representative, Legault said that he had been looking for stock up through Oregon, but that horses in that part of the country were very badly run down, and he was compelled to come here for animals which could stand the rigors of the Alaska climate and the hard usage to which they would probably be put carrying goods over the passes. This will be good news to stockmen, as it will give horseraisers in this part of the State an opportunity to supply the needs of the new gold country in the matter of horseflesh.

horseflesh.

In speaking of the project of going over the Yukon River in ice boats, he said it would be almost an impossibility, as the ice in the river is very badly jammed in places, the ice being buckled up six feet high. Mr. Legault is now at Lathrop arranging to buy horses.

DOUBTFUL DRAFTS [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The Bank of California makes public the Bank of California makes public the following statement: "Recently quite a number of drafts have been presented and refused at the Bank of California, purporting to have been drawn by the North Pacific Trading and Transportation Company, B. H. Northrup, manager; W. B. Weare, secretary. The company is unknown at the bank, and neither its name nor the names of the signing officers appear in the San Francisco directory. All drafts so far presented appear to have been negotiated sented appear to have been negotiated in New York, though dated San Fran-

STRIKES ON HUNKER CREEK [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] VICTORIA (B. C.,) Jan. 25 .- The

VICTORIA (B. C.,) Jan. 25.—The steamer City of Topeka arrived from Alaska yesterday, bringing about forty passengers. Two of them, F. E. G. Berry of Seattle and George Barrack of Colorado Springs, had just returned from the Canadian gold fields. They left on December 13, bringing news of new strikes on Hunker Creek, the last at the beginning of December, when pans ranging from \$2.50 to \$7.50 were taken out. Mr. Berry went in to buy claims for English capitalists, and has succeeded in securing some good properties.

# SHIP FOR PASSENGERS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN DIEGO, Jan. 25.-The American ship Louis Walsh, 1434 tons, now in this port, has recently been purchased by H. J. Speer & Son of Seattle and others, who propose to use her in the Alaskan trade. She will be provided with accommodations for 300 passengers, and will leave here in about three weeks for Seattle, whence she will sail March 15 for St. Michaels.

At Seattle she will take on two sternwheel river steamers, in sections, to be used in Yukon. Besides these, the Walsh will carry coal to be used by the steamers and supplies for the prospectors. She is expected to be at St. Michaele by the time the Yukon opens for navigation.

MINERS' DAY.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—A jub les spirit pervaded the meeting of the Executive Committee of the California Miners' Association tonight. It was definitely decided that Monday next should be miners' day at the mineral exhibition, and a committee was appointed to prepare the programme. A resolution was adopted thanking the California delegation in Congress for its efforts to obtain legislation in the mining interest. A resolution was also adopted approving and recommending the passage by Congress of the bill presented by A. H. Ricketts, chairman of the Mineral Land Committee, for the appointment of a commission to pass upon all lands in this State, patented to any railroad since January 1, 1893, with the view of setting aside patents where it should be shown that they were granted for lands of a mineral character. lee spirit pervaded the meeting of the

character.
Upon adjournment the members of the Executive Committee proceeded in a body to Native Sons' Hall, where the Native Daughters' reception was in

progress.

The following list of prizes has been awarded by the Committee on Floats in yesterday's parade: First prize, "Tuolumne:" second prize, "Golden Star" (N.D.G.W.:) third prize, "Calaveras;" fourth prize, "California;" fifth prize, Chinese display.

# ARIZONA MINERS

# Convention at Phoenix Calls for

Permanent Association.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PHOENIX (Ariz..) Jan. 25 .- The Ter-PHOENIX (Ariz.,) Jan. 25.—The Perritorial Miners' Convention met this
afternoon under call of Gov. M. H.
McCord. The convention was called
to order at 2 o'clock, an assemblage
of several hundred members, representing every county in Arizona and the greater number of the more impor-tant mines. In his introductory ad-dress the Governor urged that politics be eliminated from the gathering and expressed his hope that no Repub-lican would undertake to make politcal capital through the organization.
Mariano Samaniego of Tucson was

elected chairman and W. S. Adams of Jerome secretary. Addresses strongly advocating a permanent organization of the miners of Arizona for purposes of mutual benefit and protection were made by William Herring of Tomb-stone, William S. Barnes and Prof. Blake of Tucson, and Dr. J. M. Ford of Phoenix.

of Phoenix.

An evening session was held, at which was adopted an address to the miners of the Southwest, urging attention to the needs of the mining industry, and calling for the formation at Phoenix, March 14, of a miners' association, to which representatives and members shall be elected from all the counties.

A resolution was passed strongly on.

shall be elected from all the counties. A resolution was passed strongly opposing the creation of the proposed Grand Cañon Park, as a measure that would be prejudicial to the mining interests of the northern part of Arizona, forbidding the development of that great mineral deposits that lie within and around the cañon of the Colorado River.

River.

After exciting debate, a resolution favoring Delegate Smith's Home Rule Bill, lately introduced in Congress, was referred to the permanent organization. Adjournment sine die followed.

### BOUND TO PREACH

Dr. Brown Says He Will Take the

Street if Necessary.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 25.—The Rev. C. O. Brown will not run away from the con-sequences of his confession. He said today that he would stay here until his friends had time to decide whether or not they would receive or cut him. Th ex-minister of one of the larges churches in San Francisco is quite will

not they would receive or cut him. The ex-minister of one of the largest churches in San Francisco is quite willing to talk of his disgrace, with a few exceptions as to details, and these involve the details of his downfall.

"I-have made my confession," said he. "There it is, and I have nothing further to say. I have erred and have repented. I will not enter into the details of my misfortunes, nor will I discuss what I mean by confessing to a small part of the charges.

"Life was very sweet to me," said he, referring to his eastern pastorate." I had thousands of friends in the East and they looked in my face and said they could not believe the stories were not all true. I had everything to live for. I had the confidence and esteem of my Chicago congregation. I was booked to lecture at fifty of the principal churches in the East. That shows the confidence and esteem the come out to San Francisco.

"I cannot explain, but I felt that I must come it was not a hasty or impulsive step I took in making my confession. I had fought against it for life was sweet, and success and friendship were dear to me. I had decided that I would telegraph or write or do something before the conference met, but it was not a hasty or impulsive a note to my wife, telling her I had gone on a lecture tour, and started West. It was a strange coincidence that I met no one on the train who knew me. I have made the journey across the continent fifteen times and this is the first time that I meet no one on the train who knew me. I have made the journey across the continent fifteen times and this is the first time that I never met anyone I knew. I was a strange coincidence that I met no one on the train who knew me. I have made the journey across the continent fifteen times and this is the first time that I never met anyone I knew. I was a stranger to every one. I made no effort to conceal my identity.

"I do not know what the future will bring to me, but I do know this, that I shall preach the gospel till I die, if I have to preach to other t

# THE PRECIOUS METALS.

Wells-Fargo's Report on the Out put of the West.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25 .- Follow ing is the annual report of Wells, Farge & Co., of the precious metals produced in the States and Territories west of the Missouri River (including British Columbia) during 1897, which shows in the aggregate: Gold, \$69,830,597; silver, \$37,184,034; copper, \$86,645,694; 775.144; total gross results, \$153,435.469. "commercial" value at which the 

STATES AND TERRI-	Gold.	Silver.	Ores and base bullion.		Totals.
California	\$17 621,959	\$ 12 948	1 \$ 1, 9 .917	\$ 18	80
Nevada	32	451, 53	234, 52	69	3178
Oregon	2,404,797	45,000	11,900	63	9 19
Weshington	17	20,000	26 60		68
Alaska	571		52,0.0	60	3,6
Idaho	25	4,575,600	2,74 ,000	10	21 6
Montana	450	9,452 000	26,325.500	40	27,5
Irah	8	813 7 18	6, 79,440	6	47.4
Colorado	325	12.869 783	3.789.492	34	8 94
New Mexico	553	153 348	193,000		80 0
Arizona	3392	143,693	8,678 821	125	35.5
Dekota	5,829.5.5	2 0.000	98.00	9	85.5
Texas	5,0.0	309,717	1 800		16.5
Wyoming	27,500	31,000	2,500		61,6
British Columbia and					
Northwest Territory.	6,175.000	3 150,000	1,257,000	10,5	582,0
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The gross yield for 1897, shown above, segregated, is approximately as follows: Gold. 45.51; silver, 24.24; copper, 23.88; lead, 6.37.

#### NEWS FROM THE ORIENT. English Warship Narcissus Nar

rowly Escapes Sinking.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The steamer Coptic, which arrived this morning from Yokohama, vic Honolulu, brought the details of an alarming acdent to H.M.S. Narcissus, which ne

c.dem to H.M.S. Narcissus, which ne-cessitated her going into the dry-dock t Kowloon, December 11.

While lying at anchor in the harbor of Chemulpo, Korea, one of the drains of the cruiser choked up and burst, of the drains of the drains of the cruiser choked up and burst, starting a plate and allowing an inrush of water. Within three minutes of the accident there was a foot of water under the engine-room, and before the pumps started it had risen to six feet. Boats were cleared and the word passed to stand by to abandon the ship. It was half an hour before the powerful pumps made any visible decrease in the volume of water that poured through the gaping seam, but finally the danger of sinking was averted and heleak temporarily repaired, the ship's company being kept busy day and night to secure her from further danger. Meanwhile the U.S.S. Boston sent two officers on board with offers of assistance, and informed the British commander that the Boston had steam up and was ready to receive the crew if it should be found that the cruiser was inking.

The Coptic also brought the news from Nagasaki that the British squadron, the whereabouts of which had not been known for some days, assembled at Port Hamilton. December 26. The

seven English men-of-war there on that date were the Centurien, Immor-talité, Pique, Undaunted. Daphne Iphigenie and Redpole. This fleet left for Chemulpo December 27, and ex-pected to be joined there by the Nar-cissus, Grafton, Powerful and Edgar.

#### ARIZONA'S TAXES.

Territorial Revenue Convention Struggling With the Problem. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.1 PHOENIX (Ariz.,) Jan. 25.-At the ession of the Territorial Revenue Con fices of the Territorial Board of Equal-

The question of rasing the taxable valuation of property in the several counties brought out a spirited and even acrimonious debate. B. M. Bureven acrimonious debate. B. M. Burmister of Prescott. a member of the Board of Equalization, made the statement that Maricopa county, including Phoenix, should alone be assessed at \$30,000,000, the present total of the assessement roil of all the counties. Discussion brought out the fact that patented farm land is assessed in the Territory within the range of 25 cents to \$20 an acre, the little figure in Maricopa county.

copa county.
A. P. Shewman, Superintendent of A. P. Shewman, Superintendent of Public Instruction, demanded that the counties observe the provisions of the land-lease bill, lately passed by Congress, by which the Territory's educational expense might largely be paid through the rental secured from school lands. Before adjournment tomorrow the convention expects to formulate a the convention expects to formulate a uniform plan for taxation in all the counties.

### FOUND NO INDICTMENTS.

Yet the Grand Jury Know Who are Uber's Lynchers. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

GENOA (Nev.,) Jan. 25.-The report of the grand jury in the Uber lynching case which was brought in today, was very unsatisfactory. When the court had assembled, the foreman, Cook, said: "May it please the court, we have examined into the Uber lynching case and listened to testimeny of case and listened to testimony of seventy witnesses. We have discov-ered who the guilty parties are, and have sufficient evidence to secure their conviction in every case. Notwith-

have sufficient evidence to secure their conviction in every case. Notwithstanding this fact the jury will not find indictments, and further deliberations will be a useless waste of time." When interrogated regarding the case against the Sheriff, Foreman Cook said: "Absolutely nothing has been done, and I consider it a useless waste of time to place any more matters for consideration before this jury." Upon this statement Judge Mack adjourned the jury until February 2. Dist.-Atty. Virgin moved for the appointment by the court of a new grand jury, stating that the evidence produced before the present body made the identity of the lynchers certain and positive, and he could see no legal reason for failure to return indictments. Judge Mack is non-committal, but it is generally supposed that he will mark the westler made by Virgin but it is generally supposed that he will grant the motion made by Virgin and impanel a new jury.

### A THEOSOPHIST CREMATED. Left a Large Estate to Be Used by

the Society.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25 .- Golder Gate Lodge of the Theosophical So-clety held impressive ceremonies over the remains of Charles T. White, late of Seattle, which were incinerated to-day at the Odd Fellows' Cemetery. Deceased was a prominent resident of Seattle, where he had lived for a num-ber of years. He was a devout student of theosophy, and was active in teach of theosophy, and was active in teaching the doctrines of the society in the Northwest. He bequeathed his valuable estate to the Theosophical Society. According to the terms of his will his estate is to be used to defray the expenses of translating Sanscrit and other oriental works, and it has been decided to convey the estate to the Indian section of the society, whose headquarters are in India.

# HIS PALATE INSULTED.

Japanese Kills Another Because of Poor Liquor.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.) OAKLAND, Jan. 25 .- M. Thara has been held, upon a preliminary exam-ination in Livermore, to answer for the killing of his companion, a Japanese named Yaguchi, at the Corral Hollow mines on January 9. T. Nichta, who was examined at the same time, could not be connected with any feature of the murder, and was released from

custody today.

The evidence developed the fact that
Thara had quarreled with the murdered man because he did not like the liquor which the latter had furnished for his birthday celebration. The ac-cused could not prove to the satisfac-tion of the court that he had made no threats or voiced any denunciations, and he did not even try to establish an

# PELICAN GIVEN UP.

Believed to Have Gone Down With All on Board.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25 .- The steamship Pelican, now out 103 days from Port Townsend for Taku, Japan, has been given up as lost. She was never spoken after she passed Cape never spoken after she passed Cape Flattery, and no message has come from any one of her complement of fifty-five officers and men. The local branch of the United States Hydro-graphic Office received reports during November of several large logs float-ing in the path of vessels bound from Puget Sound to the Grient. It is the opinion of local shipmasters that the Pelican struck one of these logs at night and sank before her boats could

As high as 85 guineas reinsurance has been paid on the missing steamer.

#### ALEC BADLAM DEAD. One of the Best Known of All Cali-

fornia Pioneers.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Alex Badlam, a pioneer of California, ex-Assessor of San Francisco and one of the most widely-known citizens of the State, died tonight. He had long been a icted with asthma, and this, complicated with other troubles, caused his

death. After his retirement from offi-cial life he interested himself in mining and was successful in most of his ven-No man in this city was more popular than "Alec" Badlam, as he wa universally known, but although he was nearly 65 years old, his death was nexpected, as ne was possessed of a obust constitution and his friends believed that his illness was but tem

#### STOCKTON'S LETTER CARRIERS. Congressman De Vries Has Seen the

President About Them.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] STOCKTON, Jan. 25 .- The followin

self-explanatory telegram was sent t the Mall this afternoon by Congress man De Vries from the national capi "I have just called on the Postmas-ter-General and secured a revocation

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of the order limiting the Stockton freedelivery service. It will continue as at

dispensing with three of the letter carriers in this city. That would mean the cutting off of several of the less-populated parts of the city from the delivery routes, and slower delivery in the central portion of the city.

Irwin's Plea for Mercy. SAN JOSE, Jan. 25.-Isaac Irwin was oday sentenced by Judge Lorigan to welve years in San Quentin for his robbery and murderous assault upon E. A. Brown, the Hollister farmer. In his plea for mercy. Brown said: "I am and always have been an honest man, but since I sold my place I have been on a debauch. While we were playing cards in Hollister Brown invited me to a private game, and I afterward earned that with loaded dice he robbed learned that with loaded die he rebosed me of all, the money he had paid me for my team that I sold him. That angered me, and I determined to ge even, and the rest has been told." To this the court replied that the sto that Brown had robbed Irwin was n

### Mrs. E. L. Hager Dead.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Mrs. E.
L. Hager, widow of the late John S.
Hager, once Collector of the Port of
San Francisco and United States Senator from California, died today of
heart paralysis. She was the daughter
of James H. Lucas, a St. Louis banker,
and was a recognized society leader in
this city. In the early days of California her father's firm, Lucas, Turner
& Co., was represented here by Gen. & Co., was represented here by Gen. William T. Sherman of Ohlo. In her youth Mrs. Hager married S. Hicks of St. Louis. Her estate is valued at \$500,000, the most valuable portion of it being in St. Louis, consisting of extensive waveshouses.

# Suit for Swamp Land Taxes.

Suit for Swamp Land Taxes.
STOCKTON, Jan. 25.—Nine suits against wealthy land-owners in the region of New Hope were brought by Swamp District No. 348 today. The defendants are Mrs. S. L. Wheeler, the W. W. Fogg estate, the Columbus Hurd estate, the Fogg & Pratt copartnership. Simon Prouty, J. Milton Kile, John C. Thompson, R. B. Thompson and George Housken, Sr. The acreage involved is 6855, and the aggregate amount of taxes sued for is \$10,700. The swamp-land district was organized under the reclammation laws of the State, which authorizes the levying of State, which authorizes the taxes on reclamation districts

# Nearly Sunk by Bullion

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25. -While the steamship Coptic, which arrived in the steamship Copite, which arrived in port today, was lying in Shanghai, she narrowly escaped being sent to the bottom by the falling of a large weight of bullion from her deck to her hold. Six tiers of flour sacks piled in the hold were all that prevented the precious metal from going through the vessel's bottom. As it was, the falling mass penetrated five of the tiers. Third Mate Athens and Storekeeper Murphy were injured in the accident, and the mate was left at Shanghal for surgical treatment.

# Nominated a Young Man

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 25.—Mayor Land tonight sent to the City Trustees the nomination of Thomas Dwyer to be Chief of Police. Dwyer is a young men of superior intelligence and qualifications for the place, and it is believed the will be confirmed. The position had been tendered to J. W. Wilson, formerly Sheriff, and at present a director of the State Agricultural Society and judge for the Pacific Coast Jockey Club, but Wilson wrote to the Mayor today declining the nomination.

# Half-breed Stabbed.

MILTON, Jan. 25.—A half-breed Indian was stabbed to death last night at Angels Camp. The body was found in the street soon after the murder was committed, but the perpetrator of the crime had disappeared and his identity is unknown. Several persons have been arrested on suspicion, all having been engaged in gambling in the disreputable part of town, where the crime was committed. It is believed that the murder was the sequel of a quarrel over cards. quarrel over cards.

# Railroad Changes Hands.

POPTLAND (Or..) Jan. 25.—The Oregon Central and Eastern Railroad, 141 miles in length, extending from Yaquina Bay to the Cascade Mountains, has been transferred to the new corporation, the Corvallis and Eastern.

J. K. Weatherford of Albany is president of the company. It is stated that a mortgage has been executed, bonding a mortgage has been executed, bonding the road for the sum of \$15,000 per mile, and that this money will be used in extending the road eastward.

# A Hold-up Artist Sentenced. A Hold-up Artist Sentenced. SACRAMENTO, Jan. 25.—Judge Hart today sentenced Harry Lynch to ten years' imprisonment in the penitentiary for robbery. Lynch and two other men a few months ago entered a grocery store one night and, with revolvers, compelled the inmates to give up what money they had. His companions were sent to the penitentiary several weeks ago.

# Figel's Trial for Murder.

everal weeks ago.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Theodore A. Figel was today brought to rial for the murder of Isaac Hoffman, in the wholesale clothing house conducted by the latter on Battery and Bush streets on June 1 of last year. The task of selecting a jury will probably consume two or three days. A Lumberman Killed

# EUREKA, Jan. 25.—At Jacoby Creek, his afternoon. Martin Tofsert, while ingaged in getting out shingle boits, was caught between a but out and a redwood stump and killed. Murderer Raymond Septenced. REDWOOD CITY, Jan. 25. Today ludge Buck sentenced C. H. Ray-nond, the Baden murderer, to be langed at Folsom on April S.

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LIFE AND PROPERTY.

AT THE ELEMENTS' MERCY IN ST LOUIS YESTERDAY. Injured Up to Noon-Heavy Wind

at Kansas City and Rain at Memphis-Snow Blockades-Riv-

ers Rising.

PASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.1 ST. LOUIS, Jan. 25 .- A gale of wind hat reached the highest velocity of y experienced here since the tornado May 27, 1896, when the destruction of life and property was so great, prevailed today. Its highest velocity was sixty-six miles an hour, and up to sixty-six miles an hour, and up to noon two deaths, one person fatally injured and several people with minor injuries had been reported, as well as destruction to property.

The dead are AUGUST WEYMEYER, aged 37, a arpenter, who was blown from the cof of a school. He lived but ten inutes after being taken to the City THOMAS JOSEPH PETERSON, 4

years old, blown from the roof of a porch and killed. The injured:

MRS. SARAH J. LORIN, spine crushed; may die; injury caused by the blowing down of a fence.

MRS. W. B. DODDRIDGE, blown under an express wagon; internal injuries

under an express wagon; internab injuries.

MARY WILSON, struck by a sign, and hip dislocated.

Shortiy after 3 o'clock this morning a terrific thunderstorm, accompanied by a heavy fall of hail and rain, struck the city and prevailed for an hour or more. By daybreak the sky had cleared, but it soon became cloudy again and the wind began to rise. By 10:45 o'clock the wind was blowing at the race of sixty-six miles an hour, but fourteen miles less than the recorded velocity during the tornado of 1896. It was a straight blow from the southwas a straight blow from the southwas confined to broken telephone poles, and proceed velocity during the tornado of 1896. It was a straight blow from the southwas confined to broken telephone poles, as delay to the street-vallway traific.

LETTER CARRIERS QUIT. (ESSOCLIVED PRESS PAY REPORT.) velocity during the tornado of 1896. It was a straight blow from the south-west, and the residents of the city, especially in the tornado-stricken section, were seized with consternation. Swinging signs and window panes were blown down and eroken; outhorouse demolished and fences leveled, telegraph poles and wires broken, and in some instances awnings were taken off

off.

The east wall of the ruins of the tavenwood Distillery, at Madison and wenty-third streets, was blown over. It Nineteenth and Market streets the oof of a two-story building was blown lown. There were several thrilling scapes, but so far as can be learned, to one was injured outside those meninned above. oned above.

The wind created much alarm at four Courts, especially among the jail prisoners. The big, old building swayed perceptibly, and there was a general exodus from the upper floors.

SMOKESTACKS TOPPLE. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] At the electric power-house which upplies East St. Louis with light, the arge smokestack was blown down, arrying with it the main wires of the

ness.

In Believille, Ill., many large smoke-tracks and chimneys were blown down, and there were numerous narrow secapes from death there and in Past St. Louis. The damage along the river was comparatively signature as there were but few steamers in the harbor.

OTHER DAMAGE.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
Considerable other damage to build-

Considerable other damage to buildings in St. Louis was reported later. Mrs. Doddridge one of those injured, is the wife of General Manager Doddridge of the Missouri Pacific Railroad. It is learned tonight that she was not seriously hurt.

In East St. Louis the storm of wind, sleet and rain startled many of the residents into the belief that another tornado had struck the city. The wind demolished the baseball park completely, entailing a loss of \$2500. Sign boards were scattered all over the streets, and a big section of wooden sidewalk on East Broadway was blown across the commons. The low places in the eastern portion of the city were filled with water. Signs, fences and outbuildings also suffered, but no easualties were reported on that side of the river.

A FATAL COLLISION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

DÜBÜQÜE (Iowe.) Jan. 25.—A foot of snow, driven by fierce wind, has blockaded the railroads and demoral-

ized telegraph, telephone and fireized telegraph, telephone and fire-alarm systems. During the storm a freight and passenger train on the Manchester branch of the illinois Cen-tral collded. Fireman Ellis Sweet of the passenger train was killed. Engi-neer Harvey and Postal Clerk McDuff were probably fatally injured.

# HOUSES BLOWN DOWN.

Overpowering Wind in Oklahoma-A

Break in Lines.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

KANSASSITY, Jan. 25.—At El Reno, Okla., the wind was strong enough to shake houses, topple over chimneys and break many panes of glass.

The residence of William Phelps, a farmer, two miles east of El Reno, was demolished. The tarvity excepted with demolished. The family escaped with slight injuries. A few miles distant a house was blown down and the debris caught fire and was consumed. No one

was injured.

At Guthrie, Okla., a hallstorm prevailed and hundreds of panes of glass were broken. Many people thought a tornado was upon them and fied to their storm cellars. this morning communication with the country was good.

lashed by the

CEDAR RAPIDS (Iowa,) Jan. 25. The snowstorm today is by far the worst of the season. All traffic is stopped. Even the letter carriers were

ing snowstorm has prevailed here since early this morning. The storm shows no sign of abating, and all traffic is delayed.

blizzard struck this city shortly before noon, and up to 1 o'clock, two inches of snow had fallen. Street cars are seriously delayed, and as the storm continued this afternoon, it brought with [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

MEMPHIS (Tenn..) Jan. 25.—The Mississippi River will probably reach the danger line by Friday morning. Since yesterday there has been a rise of one foot. There was a heavy reinfall here last night.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] KANSAS CITY, Jan: 25.-A heavy KANSAS CITY, Jan: 25.—A heavy windstorm, blowing down telegraph poles in all directions, struck here this morning. Between Kansas City and Lawrence many poles were leveled. Trains from the West were badly delayed, snow drifting, into the cuts badly.

LIFE LOST AT CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25 .- A blinding snowchicago, jan. 25.—A shading snow-storm which raged all day did consid-erable damage in the city, and made trouble for the street-car companies and the railroads, and caused the loss of one life.

SAN JOSE, Jan. 25.—The rainfall for the storm is 0.11 of an inch. The deficiency of rain to date from the mormal season is fully six inches. The mountains are white with snow this

Foreclosing on Alsip's Property.

ALL TRAFFIC DELAYED.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] CLINTON (Iowa,) Jan. 25 .- A blind-

SNOW AT MILWAUKEE. (ASSOCIATED PRINS DAY REPORT.)
MILWAUKEE, Jan. 25.—A furious

A HEAVY WIND.

San Jose Rainfall.

morning.

OAKLAND, Jan. 25.—Ex-Mayor Ben. C. Steinman of Sacramento began suit today to the Alameda County Superior Court to fereclose a mortgage for \$25,000 on property in this city owned by Edwin K. Alsip, the missing realestate dealer.

# THE TIMES-

ETATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, S. Personally appeared before me. Harry Chandler, superintendent of circulation for the Times-Mirror Company, who, being duly sworb, deposes and says that the daily bona fide editions of The Times for each day of the week ended January 22, 1888, were as follows: Sunday, January 16.

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Housegirls, Failbrook, \$25; Covina, Long
Beach, \$20; Santa Paula, \$18; Ontario, \$16;
Pasadena, \$15; Riverside, \$12; second girl,
Corona, \$20; first-class cook, \$30; 3 house,
girls, \$20; 5 housegirls, \$15; girls to assist
\$10 to \$12; housekeeper, \$12; nurse girl, \$20.
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Ten waitresses, city and country, \$20 etc.;
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WANTED—HOTEL COOK, COUNTRY, 230; housekeeper, \$20; general housework, 225 to \$10; seeond work, city and Pasadena, MRS, SCOTT & MISS M'CARTHY, 107½ S. Broadway.

WANTED-TWO MEN OF BRAINS AND energy for industrial insurance; salary or commission. Call before 12 m. at room 9, 105 E. First st., C. CLIPTON. WANTED - FIRST-CLASS BARBER WITH some capital at Broadway Hotel shop, at once, MOLL, proprietor.

WANTED-CARRIER WITH WHEEL FOR abort paper route; wages \$7. Address box 87, TIMES OFFICE. WANTED—GOOD BARBER, 318 S. MAIN ST. See GODDARD, 26

Partners.

WANTED — PARTNER, GOOD PAYING meat business, already established; must have good references and 250; good opportunity for right man; this is genuine. Apply at once at 250 f S. MAIN.

WANTED-

VANTED — SEED ASSORTER, NURSE housekeeper, clerk, real estate office girl house, store, laundry girls; waitresses, chambermaid; other situations. EDWARD NITTINGER, 226 S. Spring.

WANTED - EXPERIENCED OPERATORS on shirts, overalls and pants: inexperienced hands taught. BROWNSTEIN, NEWMARK & LOUIS, 346 N. Main st. WANTED-COMPETENT GIRL FOR COOK

WANTED—GOOD COOKS AND GIRLS FOR general housework, EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, Truttle Block, Redlands., box 759 WANTED—GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSEwork morning and evening; good home and small wages. 1951 NORWOOD ST. 26 WANTED—AN EXCELLENT COOK BY February 1; must be immaculate in the kitchen. 1911 S. FLOWER.

kitchen. 1911 S. FLOWER. 26 WANTED — SKIRT FINISHER, EXPERI-enced; also apprentice: will pay wages. 226 S. SPRING, room 237 WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE.

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23D ST. 28
WANTED-YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST WITH housework and care of child. 1049 S. OLIVE. 26
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age, of good habits, situation in a retail
or wholesale store. Address M, box 94,
TIMES OFFICE. 27

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wants situation to do cooking and housework; city or country. Address L, box 85,
TIMES OFFICE. 26

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M, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 27 WANTED—BY A SINGLE GERMAN, SIT-uation as orchard man; references. Address D. V., 437 TURNER ST.

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WANTED — SITUATION BY A RELIABLE German woman as working housekeeper; references if required, Address M, box 10, TIMES OFFICE.

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\$12.500-FOR SALE—THE VERY BEST 20-

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residence, on S. Flower; lot 50x180; house

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there the currency must spring up involume sufficient to meet the requirements of trade and commerce. This can be accomplished only by clothing the banks with power to issue. Then a small tax should be levied upon the circulation, to protect against dangerous inflation beyond the needs of the country, and to insure contraction when the demand ceases.

"The government cannot provide any such automatic safety valve to regulate its own issue. Every financial-political agitation engenders a mania on the part of the people for hoarding, and every manifestation of a disposition to hoard produces a political agitation along financial lines. Every such agitation in turn paralyzes commerce and tends to throw the balance of trade against us. This, in turn, depletes our stock of gold, and this again intensifies all other evils. All these tendencies are likely to become epidemic and are seldom understood or attributed to the inciting cause. The most unfortunate phase of it all is the fact that the government is powerless to relieve. It cannot replenish her treasury, as we have seen, except by a loan and an increase of the interest-bearing debt. The government is like the individual. It cannot raise money except on assets, and having none on hand, it issues bonds extending over a long period of years, and thue imposes new burdens on the people. This is given widest publicity, and intensifies the evils rendering the expedient necessary.

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"And now, gentlemen, it does not lie with your chairman to discuss details. The fact that the interests at stake in this movement are financial, industrial and commercial will justify no less care than if they were political. The country has learned that capital cannot be coerced into activity. It can be invited, but it is extremely shy. When it does venture forth it is only when it does venture forth it is only when the coasts are clear and the agitator is at rest."

In submitting the report of the committee Mr. Patterson reviewed the steps taken in the preparation of the plans presented. He said: "We advised the continued adherence to the gold standard because it is the standard of civilization; because in legislation can overthrow it; because it means that every dollar of currency shall continue to be as good as gold, and because only under that standard can public and private faith be kept and labor receive the reward of its toil. We advise the utilization of silver currency in subsidiary silver coinage, silver dollars and in silver certificates in denominations of \$1, \$2 and \$5 as the only small-note currency, for in that way the demands of the country for a change in the ratio will keep the silver currency in circulation. But we also recognize the fact that the silver coins and their representative notes were issued by the government for full face value received and that the consideration of honor and honesty requires that silver dollars should be redeemed in gold.

"We advise the gradual retirement of the United States notes and treasury notes of 1890, for they are a menace to the national credit and a source of weakness to the government in its internal relations. We advise the establishment and maintenance of a gold re-

weakness to the government in its in-ternal relations. We advise the estab-lishment and maintenance of a gold re-serve adequate for that purpose. We advise the separation of always indis-tinct and sometimes conflicting fiscal and currency functions of the treas-ury."

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In conclusion, Mr. Patterson said: "My work is done; your work has but begun. An appeal must now be taken from the servants in Washington to the masters in their homes; the hills and the valleys, on the plains and in the towns of this great country, and you must prosecute that appeal. It is no time for cowardice; it is time for courage. It is, no time to retreat; it is time to advance. Then bring up the colors to the front and march forward in the assured confidence that our view is right and final victory must be ours."

The resolutions will indorse the plan in itself and probably affirm the devotion of the convention to a fixed standard of value, the gradual retirement of forced legal-tender paper and the substitution of an elastic banking currency. They will also contain a section extending the thanks of the convention to the business men and to Senator Edmunds and to the other members of the commission for their part in framing the Monetary Reform Bill. It is not expected that there will be any serious opposition to the resolutions. be any serious opposition to the resolu

tions.

There will be, however, it is been debate from the members on the floor, many of whom are likely to discuss the political effect that the refusal of Conposition would have in promoting the sentiment and gress would have in promoting growth of free-silver business uncertainty.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Chief of Police Lees has decided to prosecute Frank C. Cretser on his own confession that he murdered Charles Keeling, a firebrick worker, in front of No. 941 Folsom street, nearly three years ago. Deputy Sheriff Angel of Fresno ago. Deputy Sherin Angel of Fresho called today at the City Prison to take Cretser to Fresho for trial on a charge of burglary, only to learn that his hypothetical captive would be tried here on the more serious charge.

PARIS, Jan. 25.—At a meeting of the Cabinet today, the Minister of the Interior, M. Barthou, communicated dispatches from Algiers, showing that all was quiet there this morning.

Van Horn and Crow. SAN QUENTIN, Jan. 25.—William Van Horn and John Crow, who were convicted in Trinity county of murder and each sentenced to twenty-five years, arrived at the prison this morning in charge of the Sheriff of that county.

county. Safely Put Away. [Roxberry Gazette:] Mistress (to servant.) Bella, where are those ber-ries I told you to put away? Servant. Johnnie came in awhile ago, and said he'd put 'em away for me

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# ALL-AROUND SPORT.

VASSAR COLLEGE HAS A CRACK FEMALE ATHLETE.

Miss Rowena Reed of California Can Play Football and Baseball Like a Veteran.

AND SHE CAN ALSO JUMP.

OTHER GIRLS.

ong Shots Placed at Ingleside—The New Orleans Races-Alex C. Wins the Bakersfield Dog Derby. Cycling.

IBY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES. 1

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Vassar College boasts of an athlete who bids fair to rival any Harvard or Yale representative in her abilities. Miss Rowena Reed of California is only 19 years old, weighs 160 pounds, and is 5ft. 8½in. tall. She can ride, swim, fence, row, wheel, run and jump. She can handle Indian clubs and dumb-bells, play football and baseball like a veteran, and is an ex-pert on the trapeze. In the games at Vassar lately she

broke the women's record for a broad jump, clearing 13ft. 3in.; won 120-yard hundle race and running high jump, do ing 3ft. 8in. As she is only a sopho ore, her career has just commenced.

INGLESIDE EVENTS.

The Talent Gives the Bookies a Se vere Drubbing.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The talent gave the books another awful drubbing at Ingleside today. Everything broke in their favor. Malay, favorite in the opening event, did not command much of a following, and his defeat profited the books but little. After that Myth was the only favorite to go down, and the winner.

Marco, was equally as heavily backed.

The two-year-old scramble developed a good thing in the Panique event, the Waiting II colt, Also Ran. won gailoping at 25 to 1. He was ridden by Harris, a colored lad. SUMMARY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Results t Ingleside:

at Ingleside;
Three furlongs: Also Ran, 103 (Harris,) 20 to 1, won; Malay, 103 (Thorpe,) 2½ to 1, second; Prince Will, 103 (Gray,) 15 to 1, third; time 0:37½. Santello, Riley, Idle Colt, Olanthus, Saintly and Sir Urian also ran.
Six furlongs: Kamsin, 114 (Thorpe,) 2½ to 1, won; Joe Ullman, 111 (W. Martin,) 4 to 1, second; Meadow Lark, 101 (E. Jones,) 8 to 1, third; time 1:17½. Stentor, Red Glenn, Veragua, Treachery, Charlemagne and The Gossip also ran.

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Six furlongs: Montellade, 107 (Conley.) 4 to 4, won; Triumph, 114 (Spencer,) 50 to 1, second; Maj. Cook, 114 (E. Jones.) 5 to 1, third; time 1.17½. Fig Leaf. Peril, Tim Murphy, Argonaut and Starling also ran.

One mile and a sixteenth: San Marco, 110 (Thorpe.) 11 to 5, won; Myth, 104 (H. Mantin.) 11 to 5, second; Imperious, 87 (J. Woods.) 5 to 1, third; time 1:48¾. Yankee Doodle, Peter II, Li Hung Chang also ran.

Six furlongs: Geyser, 106 (Thorpe.) 1 to 2, won; Alvarado, 111 (Clawson.) 10 to 1, second; Geyser, 106 (Thorpe.); 1 to 1, second; Fortunate, 111 (Conley.) 6 to 1, third; time 1:15½. Rey del Tierra. Cardwell, Chartreuse and Nic Nac also ran.

One mile: Imp. Tripping, 105 (Clayton.) 3 to 5, won; Harry Thoburn. 111 (Clawson.) 6 to 1, second; Cabrillon, 115 (Thorpe.) 3 to 1, third; time 1:42. Hohenzollern, King William and Joe Terry also ran.

Terry also ran.

THE DOG DERBY.

Bakersfield's Chief Sporting Event Won by a Pointer. [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 25.—The Derby event in the Pacific Coast field trials was concluded today. Alex C., a pointer dog, owned by John E. Lucas of San Rafael, proved the winner. W. pointer, won second place, while Frank

s. Tevis's Cuba of Kenwood, also a pointer, won second place, while Frank Maskey's English setter bitch, Lady Rodschaff, came third.

The winner is a handsome liver-and-white dog of medium size. He was sired by Glenbelgh, Howard Venron's famous pointer, and is out of Saddlebags, a high-class bitch owned by Alex Colvin. The blood of Glenbelgh is also represented in Cuba of Kenwood, he being by Glenbelgh, Jr., a son of old Glenbelgh. The pointer winners are both high-class dogs, and in their victory Mr. Vernon will find partial company accidental poisoning. Lady Rodschaff, by winning third plece, also takes the silver cup offered by Arthur Bennett, as a prize for the best English setter in the Derby.

The first brace put down this morning in the second series of the Derby were Alex C. and Lady Rodschaff, by their owners. Alex displayed the best speed, but the Lady were flushed the birds and broke in. An instant later Alex C. made a bevy point, then receded and pointed again. Lady was called up to back, and her self came to a point before she reached the dog. Lady backed a point by Alex on a rabbit. Birds were flushed at a distance, and Alex stiffened on a beautiful point. Lady was called up, and backed. Lucas shot without killing, and Alex stood steady. An instant later Lady wblpped in a pretty point, but flushed and ran in, a performance which gained her a taste of the whip.

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The deciding race between Alex C. and Cuba was commenced at 12:11 p.m. and lasted 45 mlnutes. Birds were found in good style, and the dogs put up some nice work, Alex C. wirning on points. There was no trouble in finding birds, and oportunity was offered for a test of speed, range, nose and bird-finding quality, and Judges Merriman and Post had no clifficulty in reaching a decision.

Three brace of all-age dogs were run

mal that aided the men who plunder them.

The result is seen in its stand on the water fight in Los Angeles have turned about face, and is now making a grand-stand play in behalf of the people of the boodlers has turned about face, and is now making a grand-stand play in behalf of the people of the boodlers has turned about face, and is now making a grand-stand on the water fight in Los Angeles have a grand-stand play in behalf of the people of the boodlers has turned about face, and is now making a grand-stand play in behalf of the people of the boodlers has turned about face, and is now making a grand-stand play in the header on its change of tone from the previous week, when it dendunced the suggestion of its change of tone from the previous week, when it dendunced the suggestion of the header of the boodlers has

at the conclusion of the Derby. Dash Antonia, the eastern field-trial winner, was put down in one brace, and furnished the prettiest exhibition which has been seen on a California field-trial ground in some years. The work of the eastern dog, while not perfect, was distinctively high class.

CORBETT SIGNS ARTICLES.

Considine Confident He Can Get Fitzsimmons to Fight.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—James J. Cor-bett tonight signed articles calling for a fight with Bob Fitzsimmons, which George Considine of Detroit is confident he can pull off next summer. The anticles are identical with those governing the fight at Carson City, with the exception of the purse, which in this case is \$25,000 as against \$15,000 at Carson City. Considine forfeits \$5000 to go to the men in case he fails to pull off the fight.

In return he demands a forfeit of \$2500 from each. He also says he will offer \$15,000 for "Kid McCoy" to go against Choynski, Jeffries, Maher or Ruhlin. Considine is to meet Fitzsimmons in Detroit on Sunday and expresses himself as confident of being able to induce him to sign the articles of agreement. eorge Considine of Detroit is con

THREE MEN WITHDREW. Nine Cyclists Left in the Seventy-

two-hour Race.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] PITTSBURGH, Jan. 25 .- Nine of th welve cyclists who started in the enty-two-hour bicycle race at the Exposition yesterday came on the tracienty-two-hour bicycle race at the Ex-position yesterday came on the track at noon today when the second day's racing began. Miller was unable to re-turn to the track today on account of a sprained back, and has withdrawn from the race. Stewart and Repine are

Now Orleans Possite

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 25.—Results: One mile, selling: Wilson won, Sar-toga second, Mr. Eaton third; time Three furlongs: Dollie Regent won

Romany Rye second, Pearl Barnes third; time 0:40%. Mile and an eighth: Baalgad won, Little Music second, Partner third; Little Music second, Partner third; time 2:09½.
One mile and a quarter, selling: Royal Choice won, Ransom second, Anger third; time 2:20½.
Seven and a half furlengs: Full Hand won, Al Lone second. Mittboykin third; time 1:44.
Mile and a sixteenth: Peter Archer won, Rhetr Goode second, Blitzen's Sister third, me 2:01½.

Prize Poultry and Pigeons.
SACRAMENTO, Jan 25—The poultry.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 25.—The poultry and pigeon exhibit of the California Poultry and Kennel Club opened at the new pavilion this morning with one of the finest displays of birds ever shown in this State. The exhibition will run for one week, and the Kennel Club's exhibition will open Thursday.

# OVERPOWERING FLAMES

CONSUME ABOUT A MILLION DOL. LARS' WORTH OF PROPERTY.

ne of the Most Disastrous Conflagrations That East St. Louis Has Experienced in Years—Union Elevator and C., B. & Q. Freight.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] ST. LOUIS, Jan. 25 .- One of the nost disastrous fires experienced East St. Louis in many years started at 9:30 o'clock tonight in the Union Elevator, the largest building of its kind either here or in East St. Louis. and before it had burned itself out.

property to the estimated value of \$1,-900,000 was destroyed.

The elevator and contents, supposed to be not far from 3,000,000 busbels of grain; the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy freight-house adjoining, with ten cars of merchandise, twenty-five cars of corn and a number of small dwellings were burned, together with the stables of the St. Louis Transfer

the stables of the St. Louis Transfer Company.

The fire was discovered by the elevator watchman some distance from the engine room, and before he could turn in an alarm the flames had got such a start, being fanned by a strong northwest wind, that they soon enveloped the whole building. The elevator, which had a capacity of more than three million bushels, was about full of grain, the greater part being corn owned by St. Louis men. This made an intensely-hot fire, and was soon ablaze all over, the strong wind sending sparks and burning embers for a quarter of a mile. Before the fire

sending sparks and burning embers for a quarter of a mile. Before the fire had been burning an hour, the elevator and contents were doomed and the flames had spread to the Burlington freight house to the south, about eight hundred feet long. All the fire apparatus in the city of East St. Louis was called to the scene, in addition to engines from St. Louis.

At midnight the fire was confined within the limits named, but it will be many hours before it burns itself out. The heaviest losers are the E. B. White Grain Company, Will Harstick Grain Company and the United States Elevator Company. It is impossible at this late hour to get a detailed estimate of the losses, but it is thought they will foot up at least \$1,000,000. The insurance is unobtainable tonight.

# GROWERS OF STOCK

NATIONAL CONVENTION ASSEM-BLES AT DENVER.

About One Thousand Delegates Present Representing Twentyone States and Territories.

NEW CONDITIONS TO FACE.

GOV. ADAMS'S WELCOMING SPEECH VERY OPTIMISTIC.

John W. Springer of Texas Tempo pointed for Various Offices, Paper on Organization.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

DENVER (Colo...) Jan. 25.—The first session of the National Stock-Growers' Convention was called to order in Coliseum Hall at 10:30 o'clock by George L. Goulding, chairman of the general Committee of Arrangements. There were present about one thousand delegates representing twenty-one delegates, representing twenty-ond States and Territories of the West, Northwest and Southwest. In a few words, the chairman stated the object of the meeting. He said that the years of depression to which the cattle in-dustry had been subjected caused a loss in that branch of business of hundreds of millions, but that there now

dreds of millions, but that there now appeared brighter prospects for stock-growing in its various branches, and this convention was called to consider the new conditions.

Gov. Alva Adams welcomed the delegates in the name of the State. He dwelt upon the difference between the present conditions and those of ten years ago, when, as Governor of Colorado, he welcomed a similar body of delegates to the State. His speech was very optimistic for the stock-growing industry. He urged the cattlemen and the sheepmen to get together and adjust their differences.

Mayor T. S. McMurray of Denver delivered a welcome on behalf of the city.

John W. Springer president of the

delivered a welcome on behalf of the city.

John W. Springer, president of the Continental Cattle Company of Texas, was elected temporary chairman of the convention. He was escorted to the chair by Gov. Richards of Wyoming and Lieut.-Gov. Brush of Colorado, In thanking the convention for the honr conferred upon him, Chairman Springer said the delegates assembled as representatives of the stock-growing industry of the United States, representing a thousand million dollars of capital. He said old cowboy days had passed away and the stock-growof capital. He said old cowboy days had passed away and the stock-grow-ing industry had entered upon a new

Charles H. Gould of Nebraska was

chosen temporary secretary; D. E. Mc-Ginnis of St. Paul, reading clerk; and W. H. O'Brien of Denver, sergeant-at-The chairman appointed the following committees:
Credentials—Lieut.-Gov. J. L. Brush,
Colorado, chairman; W. L. Pickard,
Salt Lake: Henry G. Hays, Wyoming;
J. C. Kenyon, Omaha; William Irvine,
Cheyenne, Wyo.; Paul McCormack,

Cheyenne, Montana. Montana.

Resolutions—Gov. Richards, Wyoming, chairman; J. R. Van Boskirk, Nebrasika; J. B. Neff, Kansas City, Mo.; T. F. Sotham, Chillicothe, Mo.; Gen. Flower, St. Paul, Minn.; Morey K. Parsons, Utah; Charles Owen Byers, Colorado; H. A. Jastro, California; Mr. Tisdale, New Mexico: Mat Driscoll, Dakota; R. A. Allen, Nebraska; A. P. Brush, Texas; Dr. Victor Naugard, Washington, D. C.; Henry Wallace, Des Moines, Iowa; F. J. Bonney, Chicago;

Moines, Iowa; F. J. Bonney, Chicago; Taylor Riddle, Kansas. Taylor Riddle, Kansas.

Permanent Organization—George L.
Goulding, Colorado, chairman; Ora
Haley, Wyoming; W. E. Skinner,
Texas; O. A. Hadley, New Mexico; W.
P. Anderson, Chicago; A. B. Smith,
Omaha; Alfred S. Donan, Arizona.
Col. J. O. McCoy of Kansas responded,
on behalf of Kansas, to the address of

welcome.
The convention then took a recess

until 2 p.m. AFTERNOON PROGRAMME [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]
The afternoon programme opened
with an address by G. F. Patrick of
Pueblo, Colo., on "The Benefits to be
Derived From an Interstate Organization."
J. R. Van Boskirk of Aliance, Neb.,
followed in an address on "The Benefits
from State and County Organizations."
The next number on the programme
was to have been a paper by Relph
Talbot, attorney for the Colorado Cattie-Growers' Association, on "The Conservation of the Ranges." Mr. Talbot
was unable to be present, and his paper
was read by his law partner, Mr. Wad-

Comets Coming in 1898.

[London Globe:] The Pons Winnecke comet should open the list by appearing in April, after an absence of about five and one-half years. In May, the celebrated Encke; comet is due. This comet has a period of only three and one-quarter years, and its frequent reappearance has been the means of astronomers discovering a great deal about comets and their wanderings through space. In June we should have two of these cosmical visitors—Swift's and Wolfe's comets—the former after and spence of six years and the later a trifle longer. Temple's comet completes the visitors' list by arriving in September. These comets are all regular visitors, whose periods are soo well known that their arrivals may be timed allower to the how. Others read other teacher heave. Comets Coming in 1898. that their arrivals may be timed almost to the hour. Others, no doubt, will arrive, but they will doubtless be casuals, of whose antecedents nothing is known, and most of them such small three are could be attention of small three are could be attentioned and the small three are considered. fry as to catch the attention of only the most assiduous observers.

The Proceedings Terminated.

[Figaro:] A boy had been up for an examination in scripture, had failed utterly and the relations between him and the examiner had become somewhat strained. The latter asked him if there were any text in the whole Bible he could quote. He pondered, and then repeated: "And Judas went out and hanged himself."

"Is there any other verse you know

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THE SCANDAL IN OHIO.

The probing of the Ohio Senatoria

scandal discloses conclusively that

around for the purpose of corrupting

members of the Legislature, or for

the purpose of making it appear as if

that was the case. It is to be hoped

that the investigation may continue

until the real facts in the matter are

laid bare. It is not improbable that

the unspeakable Boyce was only

"flashing up" money, ostensibly in the

interest of Senator Hanna's election

but really meant to cast odium upor

line with the past methods of this

smooth and crooked individual, and

until there are further developments

it is unsafe to assume that the money

paid by him to Representative Otis

came from Senator Hanna or hi

friends. When a devious and dis-

honest wretch like H. H. Boyce is

engaged in the manipulation of roll-

tics or money, it is not safe to believe

anything that may be based upon his

words or his actions. He is a born

Hessian, who would fight for any

cause that had anything in it for

Boyce, and would betray any cause

for the same reason. It is even be-

lieved that, through lack of some other

crooked thing to do, he would crawl

out of bed in the night to pick his

own pocket. No one who knows

guilty of bribery without a large

amount of cumulative and collateral

evidence, and that evidence must be

so straight, direct, positive and em-

phatic as to be believable outside of

anything "Smoothy" Boyce may have

had to do with it. We trust that this

Ohio scandal shall be gone into so

vealed in all its nakedness, and that

the guilty, whoever they may be, shall

be brought to the bar of justice and

AN INFAMOUS EPISODE.

lin, under date of January 24:

According to a cablegram from Ber-

"The Minister for Foreign Affairs

Baron von Bulow, made a statement today before the Budget Committee of

the Reichstag, in regard to the Drey-fus affair. He declared most em

fus affair. He declared most em-phatically that there had never been

relations of any kind between German agents and Dreyfus. Continuing, the

Minister said the story of the waste

paper basket incident at the German

mbassy in Paris and the finding the

compromising documents affecting

This confirms what the German au-

thorities have stated and reiterated

term implies. The treatment of this

ful, disgraceful and monstrous, and

the crime of the nation is certain to

France is digging for itself a pit, and

when it falls into it the world will

The Springfield Republican takes oc-

casion to pay an incidental compli-

ment to this glorious country of ours

the rigors of a New England winter

comes the same sad tale of bitterly

cold weather, and preposterous apparatus for heating. Americans are slow in discovering that there are better

climates to be found on this continent

than the vaunted Mediterranean af-fords. Southern California and Mex-

The Republican might well have

added that the climate of Southern

California cannot be matched by any

land beyond the sea, although for the

past few days the weather clerk has

been acting in a very scurvy manner.

The New York Journal, which has

forsaken the cause of Bryan, is now

coming in for no end of lambasting

by the syndicated free-silver press,

ico are good enough for any one.'

present season fully bears From Egypt and the Riviera

stand appalled by the crash.

in these graceful words:

punished as they deserve.

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somebody's money was

AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

LOS ANGELES-The Man From Mexico. BURBANK-Forgiven.

THE "TIMES" MIDWINTER NUMBER. The largest, the best-arranged and most brilliantly illustrated; the most thorough, accurate and comprehensive: the most luminous, interesting and informing; the most picturesque, potent and graphic isme ever sent out from this office. Printed in the new magazine style; \$4 pages and cover. Price 10 cents per copy; postage extra, to be paid the sender. Copies will be mailed, when requested, from this office to any part of the United States, Canada or Mexico for 13 eents each, postpaid. Send list of ten, together with the money, and your orders will be carefully filled. See list of contents in other columns.) The matter is not ephemeral, but of permanent value. The Mid-winter Number will be timely for

TO SEARCH FOR MOUNTAIN WATER. At vesterday's session of the City Council a step was taken which may or may not prove to be of great importance in connection with the water-supply question. Councilman Grider made a motion providing that the Water Supply Committee and the Fire Boyce will believe Senator Hanna and Water Committee of the Council be "requested to investigate and report the Council whether or not it is feasible and practicable to construct a water system which will bring water into the city from a mountain source, and in sufficient quantities for all domestic purposes, and with a sufficient pressure for tire thoroughly that the truth may be repurposes." The motion further required the committees to report within

To this motion Councilman Toll offered an amendment providing that the matter be referred to a special committee of three Councilmen, with instructions to report within three weeks. He commended the general idea of the motion, on the ground that the Council should acquire all the information possible relative to the water question, and particularly as to whether it will be possible to obtain an ample supply from mountain sources. But as the Water Supply Committee has its hands full at present. Mr. Toll maintained that the work of investigating the question of a Drevfus was sheer invention mountain supply should be intrusted to a special committee. Mr. Toll's amendment prevailed, and Messrs. Gri- In the light of this statement, the acder, Hutchison and Mathuss were ap- tion of the French government in pointed as the Special Committee on standing by its attitude toward Capt. Mountain Water Supply, with instruc- Dreyfus constitutes quite the most tions to report within the time named. | imfamous episode of modern times. A

The result of the investigation to nation that sows wind in this reckless be made by this special committee manner is certain to reap the whirlwill be awaited with considerable in- wind sooner or later, and the outlook terest. It hardly need be said that a for France is something to appall the bountiful supply of pure water is es- lovers of constitutional liberty. A sential to the future growth, health people that is not just as well and prosperity of Los Angeles. Upon generous, does not deserve the free-Mr. Grider, as the proponent of the dom guaranteed by a republican form mountain-supply idea, naturally fall of government, and deserves to have the honors of leading in the search, over it an autocrat, with all that the as chairman of the special committee. Naturally there will be some criticism officer of the French army is shameof President Silver for constituting the personnel of this special committee as he has done; but, nevertheless, it be wiped out in rivers of blood, is certainly to be hoped that the researches of the committee will contribute a fund of valuable information which will serve to simplify the water problem, and thus to hasten its final and satisfactory solution. By all means-let us know whether an abundance of mountain water is to be had. and how it can be obtained, if at all,

There is no good reason why a United States battleship should not be kept in Cuban waters while affairs in the island are in so unsettled a condition as they are in at present; and there are many good and sufficient reasons for sending a battleship to Havana and keeping it there so long as it may be needed for the protection of American citizens and interests. The ships of other nations enter and leave the port of Havana at will. The United States has greater interests in Cuba than has any other nation save Spain, and the constant presence of one or more of our warships at Havana would seem to be a necessary precautionary measure so long as the situation remains at its present critical stage.

William Shakespeare and several but it doesn't appear to mind. other famous old writers, will prob- paper that has had to stand the back ably have considerable of an account talk that the Journal has been listento settle with Ignatius Donnelly when ing for some time, because of its yel- thorough inventory of the property shades beyond the flowing river. guage and other hardships.

half-column of its editorial space to an article moralizing with truly Bunsbyan wisdom on the "lessons of the Los Angeles fire"-mean-

In its issue of Saturday, January

22, the San Francisco Call devotes a

ing the fire which recently consumed schoolhouse on Pico Heights. The Call's article, in the light of facts which are well known in Los Angeles. s so picturesquely ridiculous as to call or quotation, not because of any nerit of truth which its statements ossess but in order to reveal the extent of the misinformation upon which it is based. For this purpose with due apologies to the reader the Call's editorial is herewith quoted en-It is as follows

"In the revelation made by the ourning of a public schoolhouse on Pico Heights, Los Angeles, the queson of the value of betterments to the water property by the private poration lessee gets a lurid illumiation. The insufficiency of pressure n small and worn pipes came near causing an appalling loss of life and lid cause a loss to the taxpayers of a valuable piece of public property. The Mayor of the city and the Chief of the Fire Department join in the eclaration that a garden hose attached to a proper pipe and pressure system, would have been more effec-tive than the best fire engines proved

to be when compelled to draw on the sufficient supply and weak pressure "betterments" to the city's water plant, for which the private corporation demands several millions of dollars. The Call only asks justice for the people of Los Angeles. The life of iron pipe under ground is a known Given the size of the pipe its thickness and the average pressure it has sustained and its condition can be estimated without digging it up for inspection. But the pipe is buried. The people don't see it. The most of them don't stop to think how much its value and usefulness are affected by lapse of time. But the water com-pany knows all this. They are inside and deal with the advantage of amknowledge of the condition of y inch of their system, of the every inch of

esent value of it all.
This knowledge can be placed a the disposal of the people by their city government, if a majority of the Council choose. The stolidity of that majority, however, was left to be shaken by an accident which came in the burning of a public schoolhouse and the narrow but fortunate escape several hundred children who were classrooms when the dreadfur sounded. Accident has exposed what should have been publicly known means of official action, and now there is no further excuse for official inattention. How long does the Coun-cil propose to wait? How many pubbuildings and private homes must consumed as object lessons before officials will be mindful of their oath

vicissitudes of their supply and of the

and their duty? Must the sacrifice be greater than the destruction of property? the spectacle of a score of children burned to death in their schoolrooms. or that of working people passing from the slumber of weariness to that of death in a chariot of fire, be needed to sting these men to action?

They have the chance now to act and they may be even excused for pleading that the fire on Pico Heights revealed conditions of which the were ignorant, and for one, we are willing that the people should believe them. We have no vindictive ends to serve and no selfish interests to enhance in this matter. We only want justice to the people of one of Cal-ifornia's brightest and best-known

cities.' If the San Francisco Call had taken pains to learn the true facts of this matter, it would have ascertained that the Pico Heights district, where the fire occurred, is not supplied with water by the Los Angeles City Water Company, whose nearest mains are over a mile distant from the fire. The district in question is supplied by the West Side Water Company, whose system has been in operation only about a year. Its mains are new, its pressure in its pipes is tremendous. necessitating first-class service-pipes and the best of plumbing in order to prevent the bursting of the pipes. This system was installed before the Pico Heights district was annexed to the city, and at a time when the city had no power to compel the placing of fire-hydrants at suitable points. Owing to the lack of fire-hydrants, the firemen were unable to make connection with the West Side Water Company's mains, but were obliged to run hose for a long distance in order to get water for extinguishing the fire. The matter of causing fire-hydrants to be put in and connected with the West Side Water Company's system is now under advisement, and will no doubt result in the placing or hy-

drants where needed. The Los Angeles City Water Company, which leased the city's water works some thirty years ago, has "Charles Dudley Warner has expatiated at some length on the miseries of Americans who go abroad to estensibly sunny climes, to escape the miseries of Americans who go abroad to estensibly sunny climes, to escape the miseries of the miseri be held responsible for the inadequate water supply at the schoolhouse fire The Mayor and the Councilmen have perhaps been neglectful of their duty in failing to cause the placing of firehydrants in that district, connected with the high-pressure mains of the West Side Water Company; but it there has been dereliction of duty in this regard, the Mayor and the entire Council are answerable jointly, as the responsible governing power of the city, and the blame cannot justly be placed upon any particular member

or members of the Council. As regards the condition of the pipes and "betterments" of the water system which is under lease to the Call exhibits a pitiable ignorance of what has actually been done to bring to A the public a knowledge of the true situation. For the exclusive information of the Call, it may be stated that joins them in the everlasting lowness is inured to all sorts of lan-owned by the Los Angeles City Water Company has been made by disinter-

A SAMPLE CASE OF MISINFORMATION ested and competent experts, employed by the city, under direction ci the City Engineer, whose voluminou report, covering all essential points was submitted to the Council severa months ago, and was published in ful in the Los Angeles papers. The con dition and present value of every foo of the water company's mains, and of the entire system, is definitely known to the city officials and to the public of Los Angeles. And it is but just to the Los Angeles City Water Company to state that it willingly assisted the City Engineer and the experts em ployed by the city as his assistants, in the acquirement of the desired information, giving them access to its rec ords and affording them every reasonable facility for the examination of the plant.

The Call paints a truly harrowing picture of the burning to death of school-children in their schoolrooms and of "working people passing from the slumber of weariness to that of death in a chariot of fire," etc., etc. As figures of speech and samples of "fine writing," these lurid pen-pictures are doubtless very exhilarating to the people of San Francisco. Ir Los Angeles, where the people have more regard for facts than for figures

of speech, they are simply ridiculous. The Call professes to "want justice to the people" of Los Angeles. If it is sincere in this matter, it will re frain, hereafter, from doing gross in justice to Los Angeles and its people through ill-advised comments on af fairs concerning which it knows little or nothing. If it must comment upon our local affairs, let the Call, in justice and common decency, take the pains to inform itself with some 'degree of accuracy on the subjects which it essays to discuss.

The people of Los Angeles want justice-no more, no less-in the waterworks matter; and what is more, they propose to have justice. But they are quite able to take care of themselves, and to secure justice, without outside assistance.

The Chicago Tribune has discovered what is troubling our Teutonic friends. It says:

"California wines appear to be con ing in such sharp competition with the native wines in Germany, that some of the German papers are de-manding that a higher rate of duty be placed upon them. Some of the man experts assert that the Caliornia product contains more alcohol than the German, bringing it to the standard of the Spanish, Italian, and

Such wholesale destruction of the beautiful mountain forests of California has gone on during the past few years that one of the most important laws of the State has come to be that relating to forest reservations. The government reservations of California, with the laws which regulate them, and the reasons for the strict enforce ment of these laws, forms the subject matter of an interesting article in the Midwinter Number of THE TIMES.

The San Diego Union seems to have heard somewhere that there was a scheme on foot here to connect Los-Angeles with the sea, by means of a "wonderful canal." The Union ought to enlighten us. Whose scheme was When was it "built on paper during the past few years?" Further particulars regarding this great enterprise would be thankfully received by a highly-interested Los Angeles pub-

It is reported of Daniel Webster that he composed the finest periods of his great orations while fishing, but it is plain to be seen that his system wasn't worth a cent to Grover Cleveland.

Mme. Patti-Nicolini de Caux, etc.,

talks of taking the veil, but we have no doubt this talk will turn out as have many of her farewell appearances. The proposition will be recon-

If by some methed the Calabasas country could be annexed to Kentucky, all would be well. That section is a trifle too sanguinary for the pastoral and peace-loving people of

Thomas E. Watson is to be the Pop ulistic candidate for Governor of Georgia. This means that the Georgia Populists will be found in the middleof-the-road, and there will be others

Los Angeles, if he comes to California next summer, as contemplated. If he brings Secretary Alger along, the President will still be welcome.

The President will be welcome to

San Diego is to have a water carnival, but if it were a wind carnival Los Angeles City Water Company, the the newspapers of the City of Grief would be able to sling themselves with much more abandon.

it, which is undoubtedly the purpose The people of this city still nave the yes on the school-board scandal, an they are not to be switched off th track by the raising of other issues

Mr. Cleveland will now doubtless feel like adding to his new game preserve, among other things "worth shooting at," the eminent Mr. Morga

Chicago has a burglar who plays the piano while he burgles. It would be difficult to find a punishment fitting a double crime of that sort.

If the football craze should invade France there would be a whole los fewer students to engage in riots and ructions, that's dead sure What we would like to see in thes

parts is an aggregation of baseball

players from Northern California that can play the game. California has more things to jubiee about than any other State in the American Union, therefore why should

The Dreyfus trouble has its bright side. Zola is now writing stuff that one need not fear to read aloud in the family circle.

she not jubilate?

Senator Morgan dreamed that Grover Cleveland was in favor of the annexation of Hawaii, and then he woke up.

# The Nlayhouses

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A Hot Time in Prospect.

[Pasadena News:] The John W. Mitchell Democrats are smiling and making faces at the H. W. Patton Democrats; meanwhile the John T. Gaffey Democrats are endeavoring to form an alliance with the "rubber shoe" Democrats headed by Abbot Kinney. As yet the stand to be taken by the Ramish and Marsh Democrats has not been fully outlined. There is a big row in prospect and just which faction Tom McCaffrey and George S. Patton will tie to is an open question. It be gins to look squally for the Silver Republican fakirs, Nathan Cole and Suth-erland Hutton. They want to fuse, but cannot locate the sack up to date. The Si ver Republican Club house on South Main street will remain open, unmo-lested by Sheriff Burr, for a short pe-riod, as George W. Baker has been down here easing up the strain put on by the numerous creditors who began o feel anxious about their claims Verily, things are in a mixed condi-tion in the camp of the fusionists. There will be a hot time in Democratic circles in Los Angeles county in the very near future.

A True Prophet. [Santa Monica Signal:] We desire to give The Los Angeles Times credit for being a true prophet. A few days ago it remarked that when the Denver department stores got through their for being a true prophet. A few days ago it remarked that when the Denver department stores got through their battle with the newspapers they would think they had bumped up against something hard, and it is now even so, as the fight between the Denver newspapers and the fourteen large department stores of the city regarding advertising rates, has ended with the unconditional surrender of the Merchants' Association. Since the merchants withdrew their advertisements the proprieters of the papers have agreed upon a new scale of rates somewhat higher than the previous one, and this has been accepted by the merchants. The fight was precipitated by a demand from the advertisers for a reduction of about 30 per cent. In the rates of advertising, and all patronage was withdrawn when the demand was denied. Nearly all the labor unions in the city espoused the cause of the papers, and much public feeling was shown against the stores during the contest.

The Fault-finding Minority. [Fresno Republican:] Most of the men in Congress who are trying to force the government to recognize the belligerency of Cuba, would be equally Virginia proposes to load upon the bachelors of that State a tax of \$1 per capita, but there are probably men there who would be willing to pay \$2 per capita if they could be bachelors.

There is a South American flower which blooms only when the wind is blowing. The Times respectfully recommends it to Pompadour Jim Corbett as the proper thing for a boutonniere.

There are probably some people in Washington who will not be entirely sure as to which side of the annexation question they are on until they know what Mr. Dole has in his gripsack.

# THE BAY OF AVALON

High up on the towering steep, O'erhanging the peaceful bay, I sit and dream while the ripples gleam, That e're the sun shone on, And my heart beats fast, as I dream of th

By the Bay of Avalon

A full-rigged ship rides by, Her white sails flung to the breeze, And she swaggers past with a toss

As if she were queen of the seas; Tis the prettiest sight to me. That e're the sun shone on: My heart beats fast as the ship sails past

O beautiful, magle isle, With your herds of goat and sheep; With your valleys and fens, and echoing glens With your valleys and tens, and echolog gi You have captured my heart for keep; 'Tis the lovellest sight to me, That e're the sun shone on; My heart beats fast and the dream is past, Farewell to Avalon.

Our boat leaves the golden shore,
The vision fades away;
O'er the waters blue the merry crew
Will come back to thee some day;
'Tis the dearest spot to me
That e're the sun shone on;
My heart beats fast as we sail at last
From the Bay of Avalon.
MADGE HARTELL CONNELL.

with much more abandon.

The San Francisco newspapers which have been stirring up so much dust about the water question in Los Angeles, need not flatter themselves that Mr. Webb is going to escape in the sand control of the sa

"BOLLYDICKS"-FUSION.

T IS DISTANT, AND HARMONY

emocracy Wants to Get the Greate Part of the Offices—The Mistake of Maguire—Populists Dissatis-fled With His Views on the Income Tax.

[Oakland Tribune:] In glancing over the political field, the matter most to be observed just now is the attitude of the Democrat and Populist parties oward each other upon the proposition of fusion next year. The proposition of fusion next year. The proposition may be said to come from the Demo-crats so far as there is any proposal. It cannot be found that Populists are making the proposition, but the Dem-ocrats somehow want to take it for granted that the Populists will vote with them next year. Yet Democrats seem hardly to know how to approach the question. There is hostility in the Democratic ranks to any fusion which will give Populists any real representation on the ticket. Last year, the fusion was upon the basis of three

Congressional districts to Populists and four to Democrats, and four electors of President to Populists and five to Democrats, or three-sevenths of the Congressional licket and four-ninths of the State ticket to Populists. Now, it is certain the Democrats will not offer as much this year to the Populists, while upon the other hand, the majority of the Populists are tired of fusion, altogether, and look upon it as a descrition of their principles and an abandonment of their party, without any sure guarantee that in 1900 the Democrats will even stand up for the Chicago platform. In this situation, fusion may be said to be making no progress. The Populist State Committee met in October and unanimously resolved against supporting any candidate who did not accept the principles of the Populist party and stand upon and accept its platform; in fact, resolved against fusion. These resolutions seem to have been desired by the great mass of Populists. Yet some Democratic politicians are busy trying to bring about fusion, but they do not intend to give the Populists by the Populists are busy trying to bring about fusion, but they do not intend to give the Populists of that district. The Democratic slap at the Populists of that district. The Democratic slap at the Populists of that district. The Democratic slap at the Populists of the Sixth District for a Democrat. This, of course, is a direct slap at the Populists as instead of giving four-ninths of the State ticket to the Populists, as they did last year, propose to take the overnor and all the other State offices, with possibly two of the most unimportant. They may offer Populists but one office, at least, not more than two Stude offices, which have little or no patronage. In addition, the Democratic party. The opposition to fusion in the Populist party dishand and join the Democratic party. The opposition to fusion in the Populist party, therefore, grows stronger all the time, because even those who have favored it will not farty the resolution of immigration. Yet Magu but they fear that even then the whole thing will go to pieces, unless they give the Populists more than can be given without a howl in the Democratic ranks. Others are in favor of a buildozing policy; that is, of demanding that Populists fuse upon any terms submitted by Democrats under threat of calling all Populists who object hard names, but this plan does not seem very feasible, as Populists are not much afraid of such things. So, taken altogether, the prospects are that Populists will decline to simply lie down as a door mat for the Democrats to walk into the offices in 1898.

NOMINATE FITZGERALD.

Test of the Administration Policy by the Election of Our Next Governor.

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[Current Affairs, San Francisco:]
In a late issue of the Labor Tribune, published at Pittsburgh, Pa., and devoted exclusively to promoting the interest and organization of all trade unions, the cheering statement is made that not in ten years has manufacturing of all kinds, especially in the iron industries, been so brisk as at the present in the region lying between Cleveland and Pittsburgh. It asserts that not a wheel is idle, where before 1884 everything was shut down, labor demoralized, strikes and lockouts the rule where they are now the exception—and the same paper, quoting from the American, a strong free-silver paper and unswerving advocate of Mr. Bryan, uses words to the effect that at the present time American exports exceed by two and one-half times—and still increasing—what they were during any period during the past six years. Labor can have but one opinion in the face of such practigate evidence, and that is, satisfaction with the conditions that brings such results, and as the policion of the paper is a subject to the party in power. The rise in wheat has added vast sums to the empty pockets of our arriculturists, creating new desires for the expenditure of money in many directions, binking relief to a stuffed labor market, which, in turn, is benefited. That all cannot be benefited is true, but credit should be given for those that are, and this brings us to the question, do the disaffected and satisfied ones outnumber the disaffected and unsatisfied? For on this will depend the political complexion of our next State government. To demonstrate this we believe the strongest candidates of either party, is pemocrat or Republican, should be piven for those that are, and this brings us to the question, do the disaffected and satisfied ones outnumber the disaffected and unsatisfied? For on this will depend the political complexion of our next State government. We have the proper of the paper of the paper of the paper of the paper

didates for Governor? On the Democratic side we have H. M. la Rue, Judge
James Maguire and the Hon. Charles
Lane available as personifying bimetallism. On the Republican side
ovaliability, meaning character, learning and all the essential requisites to
uphold the national policy, and withstand opposing assault, we have heard
of but one man associated with strength
so far, who fills the bill, Atty-Gen.
Fitzgerald. View him from all sides exclusive of his party affiliations, and we
behold a man whose personality and
private character commend him. It is
evident to the observing mind that to
overcome a fusion ticket similar to the
one in the last election would require
a Republican of exceptional ability—
although this is not probable, it is wisdom to prepare by selecting the best
and strongest, and amongst the gentiemen named, the concrete wisdom of
the best opinions mentions the Attorney-General. . In the case of the
Attorney-General, should he be nominated and elected, the people would
have a firm and determined gentleman
of inflexible purpose to do the right
thing at all times, himself alone responsible. We will watch closely the
maneuvers of the men who affirm at
this writing that if the Republicans
would elect the next Governor, he must
be such a man as we have outlined to
get the full Republican vote. be such a man as we have outlined to get the full Republican vote.

### THE DESK.

A Neglected and Much-abused Part of Business.

So far as I know, and so far as I know about what others know, I know of nobody doing business without a It is evident that the universal use

of desks indicates the necessity of some sort of a desk, whether it be the roll-top, the directors' table, the oldfashioned cumberous affair, or a pine

If the desk is a necessary part of business, then there is necessity for

ousness, then there is necessity for desk care.

I am aware that the desk does not make the business, and the business can be conducted with any sort of a desk; but for all that it seems to me that desk appearance and desk convenience are important parts of business, and deserve a share of business care.

of his desk is a part of his surround-ings upon which the character and volume of his business may be some-

what reckoned.

Generally the successful man sits at a comfortable, convenient, and well-ordered desk, and certainly the condition of that desk cannot help aiding in the dispatch of business.

Unless everything is in its place time is wasted.

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Everything cannot be in its place if there is not a place for everything.

The larger the desk, if there be room for it, the more convenient it is, and the easier it is to work at.

Many a trade is closed in the shortest space of time, and before the closing moment something must be found to be referred to, and if there be no place for that something, or that some-

to be referred to, and if there be no place for that something, or that something if difficult to find, the action of business is retarded, with possibility of loss.

I look upon a desk as a part and parcel of the business machine, and I feel that the more commodious the desk, the more convenient it is, the more chance there is of doing business, and the more time will be saved.

Assuming for argument's sake that as much business can be done, or is

as much business can be done, or is done, with a tumbled-down desk afdone, with a tumbled dots to be settled fair, then there remains to be settled the waste of time, the waste of energy, the waste of energy, of annoyance, which and the friction of annoyance, which always accompany the desk of disor-der, or the desk where order is im-

Desk wear is almost inconceivable, and first cost is generally all the cost. There appears to be no excuse for the keeping and use of old-fashloned in-convenient desks which lost their usefulness a generation ago.

What of the old sentiment surround-

ing the desk of our fathers? We are doing business in the present, Our suroundings should be of the present, and continue to be until the world turns backward, and admits of loing present business in the past.
NATH'L C. FOWLER, JR.

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Still Further in the Lend.

[Ontario Surprise:] The new magazine feature of the Los Angeles Sunday Times puts that paper still further in the lead of its competitors. In the forty or fifty pages of the Sunday Times there is enough wholesome reading matter to last an ordinary family for a week.

Supplies a Long-felt Want.

Times has supplied a long-felt want with its new Sunday magazine. Heretofore serious inconvenience has been experienced by many readers because of the fact that the ordinary pocket was not sufficiently large to accommodate the regular Sunday blanket sheet. Then the old-style Sunday edition was too bulky for comfortable perusal. The new magazine not only fits the pocket comfortably, but is of good, readable shape and style. When a man puts a paper in his pocket he invariably reads it carefully at a future date. When he discards it as too bulky to carry, its value as an advertising medium is lost. This fact should recommend the new magazine not only to general readers, but to advertisers who want to rivet their attention.

# THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, fan. 25.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 20.16; at 5 p.m., 30.12. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 39 deg. and 46 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 52 per cent.; 5 p.m., 65 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., north, velocity 6 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 4 miles. Maximum temperature, 49 deg.; minimum temperature, 36 deg. Hainfall past twenty-four hours, trace; rainfall for season, 3.77 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

DRY BULB TEMPERATURE 5.

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San Diego .... 38 Portland ..... 28

Weather Conditions — The cold wave

which has prevailed on the Pacific Slope for the past several days is moderating from the San Joaquin Valley northward, though cold weather continues with heavy frosts in the Interior valleys. Fair, cool weather continues In Southern California with fresh northerly winds, which probably prevented injurious (rosts this morning. Very cold weather with snow is reported from east of the mountains. Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Ange-les and vicinity: Generally cloudy, slightly warmer tonight and Wednesday, possibly with

WEATHER FORECAST: SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—For Southern California: Cloudy Wednesday; continued cold weather, probably heavy frost in the morning; light northerly wind.

#### ALL ALONG THE LINE.

The Santa Cruz Sentinel says with much wisdom: "A newspaper's ap-pearance has been considered an index to a town's desirability as a place of residence and business. A paper that is not a credit to a community should be suspended in the interest of the

The Tehachepi Times has nailed its colors to the mast and sounded the slogan for the South. It dryly remarks in a late issue: "The San Francisco Call is making another fool of itself in upholding the alleged criminal element in the Los Angeles school scandal. Anything might be expected, though, after the nightmares of Sam for Sena-tor and Charley for Congress."

The Chino Valley Champion says: "Steps are being taken to remove the government Indian school from Perris to Redlands or some other point. It is claimed that the soil is better at Redlands, and also-shades of Poor Lo!-that the Indians will come into contact with a higher stage of civilization at Redlands than at Perris. Holy Moses! Wait till Mark Plaisted or some other ultra Riverside county man jumps on that 'civilization' proposition.

A particularly reasonable inquiry is made by the Bakersfield Californian concerning the present magniloquent utterances of the San Francisco Call "The Call is making a vigorous fight against the 'Los Angeles Water Monopoly.' This may be very well, but why does the Call go so far from home? There is a company known as Spring Valley in San Francisco that is ac-credited with doing things it should not. The Call might find a good field for labor there without going to Los

According to the San Francisco Bulletin, "The inventor of a new cable-car fender has offered to lie down on a track and let a car going ten miles an hour run into him, providing, of course that it is equipped with his apparatus. The inventor is evidently supremely confident in the effectiveness of his device, but it would be just as well to have the Lunacy Commissioners sit on him a while, anyhow." There won't be enough left to sit on after the car has toyed with his frame for a minute or two, and the Lunacy Commissioners will be saved the trouble.

From the Oakland Times comes th following: "The true inwardness of Los Angeles politics is being exposed as before. Following the scandal there comes an internecine war in the Democratic party, in which charges of boodle and slander are flying about like bats by moonlight. Los Angeles Herald charged that H Patton, who has posed as a great purist, took a sum of money amount-ing to from \$700 to \$1000 from Barlow, his Populist competitor, to withdraw from the race. Patton's reply to this is a suit for \$50,000 damage by libel. The editor of the Herald claims that he is able to prove his charges, and if the case should ever go to trial considerable light might be thrown on the Democratic-Populist deal in the campaign of 896, or, at least, the Los Angeles end of it."

The Willows Journal is getting excited over the new sugar refinery project, which it discusses thus: "Rumors have been afloat for the past month as to the movements of the syndicate who were about to purchase the Glenn, Reavis, Walsh and Bidwell lands. cablegram was received yesterday from London saving the contracts were satisfactory, and now all that had to be done was to get the proper persons to raise beets. They will erect three sugar refineries, furnish seed, and men teach our wheat men how to cultivate the beet, and say if the tenants don't want to raise beets they will put men on the land who will do so. They expect to have a large acreage planted this spring so as to begin the manufacture of sugar next fall. They are capitalized to the amount of \$15,000,000, and can make things hum. We need a sugar refinery right here, as well as a flour mill and some rain."

Jubilation is in order in the office of the Tulare Register, which comments joyously on the defection of Arthur McEwen from the ranks of the Bryanites, as follows: "It is amusing to note what consternation Arthur Mc-Ewen's repudiation of Bryan has cre-ated in the Popocratic camp. It has struck that party squarely amidships and below the water line, ranging through from side to side. The members of the party are crying out against McEwen with a lusty 'Crucify him!'
'Away with him!' He perverts the people!' Behold the blasphemer!' The
idea that any one from within the ranks of that party should hit the de-voted leader a lick even with a stuffed club (and Arthur McEwen's club is not stuffed) has made Popocracy sick at heart. But bless your heart, brother, it is nuts to our side. Henceforth the McEwen toesin will not merely sound. It will resound. And there will be others."

OUR MIDWINTER NUMBER.

[Lauderdaie (Tenn.) Enterprise:] We are in receipt of the Midwinter edition of the Los Angeles Times, showing California up in great shape. This edition is very creditable. It is a Beauty.

[Blanco (Tex.) News:] The Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times is a beauty. A look at The Times is enough to make one anxious to visit that country.

A Grand Paper. [Lodi Valley News:] The Midwinter edition of the Los Angeles Times is on our table, but it is so large as to scare us out of trying to read it. It is a grand paper, and any one who has time will find a lot of good reading in it.

Well Written Up.
[Waycross (Ga.) Journal:] The Journal has received a copy of the Midwinter anniversary edition, eighty-eight pages, of the Los Angeles Daily Times, which is the handsomest number ever issued from that office. Southern California is well written up in the Midwinter edition.

Chock-full of Information

[West Florida Journal:] The Journal is in receipt of a copy of the Midwinter edition of the Los Angeles Times. It consists of over one hundred pages and is chock-full of information concerning Los Angeles and the Golden State in general. May The Times con-tinue to receive the support and praise it so justly deserves.

Should Read It.

Rice Lake Chronotype:] We are in receipt of a copy of the Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Daily Times, containing eighty-four pages of matter descriptive of the city of Los Angeles, and Southern California. People desiring to visit this part of California, or wishing to learn about the country, should read this number. Wonderful and Valuable.

Galveston Opera Glass:] It would make almost any enterprising man feel like locating in Southern California if he could see the mammoth Midwinter edition of the Los Angeles Times, which is before the editor. It contains eighty-four pages full of interesting matter concerning Southern California, also a colored cover. It is fully and handsomely illustrated and is a wonderful and valuable paper.

Parkersburg (W. Va.) Daily State Journal: The Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times is on the editor's table. It is undoubtedly the most complete boom edition of any newspaper we have as yet been permitted to inspect—enclosed in a handsome, specially-engraved cover, and comprising a sixty-page business and biographical review of the various counties adjacent to the metropolis of the Southwest. From an editorial and mechanical standpoint it is par excellent, and the State Journal is envious of the magnificent success that excellent publication has achieved. Most Complete Boom Edition.

Valuable and Interesting.

Elrockton (Mass.) Enterprise: The Enterprise is indebted to Hon. H. W. Robinson for a copy of the splendid Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Times. It is in three parts, with over two hundred illustrations, and gives valuable and interesting information concerning every section of Southern California. Any one who is interested in the resources of that most attractive and climatically perfect part of our and climatically perfect part of our country will do well to send to the publishers for a copy. The price is 16 cents, with 3 cents added for postage.

A Superb Issue.

Washington Dealer:] We are in receipt of the annual Midwinter Number of the Los Angeles Daily Times. It consists of eighty-eight pages and 200 illustrations, and is in magazine form. It is a very valuable publication, containing, as it does, much of interest in relation to the attractiveness of California as a place for homeseekers to settle in. We extend congratulations to The Times on its superbissue, and the citizens of Los Angeles and the State of California have reason to feel proud of such an enterprising and energetic journal as the Los Angeles Daily Times.

# THE DREYFUS AFFAIR.

Explanation of the Apprehensive State of the French Mind.

[New York Evening Post:] The extraordinary excitement in France over the Dreyfus affair, renewed as it is just now in the trial and acquittal of Count Esterhazy, arises from the stirring of two powerful passions—those connected with the national defense and with enti-Semitism. Anything that touches the army has, since 1870, touched the heart of "mutilated" France. Plans for revenge on Germany touches the army has, since 1870, touched the heart of "mutilated" France. Plans for revenge on Germany are no doubt extremely vague in the French mind, but their vagueness gives the best opportunity in the world for all sorts of wild fears to be excited in connection with them. If the army is as unready as it was in 1870, if the plans of mobilization are sold to the Germans, Frenchmen think themselves "betrayed" again, and there is no more furious being in the world than a Frenchman who thinks himself betrayed. But the peculiar exasperation due to dislike and dread of the Jews has to be added in to account for the pitch of popular frenzy which the Dreyfus affair has touched. Other officers have been tried and convicted for selling documents relating to the national defense, and no national explosion followed. In 1890 Lieut. Bonnet was convicted at Nancy of this offense; in 1888 an adjutant was found guilty of a similar crime; the same charge was fastened upon Capt. Guillot in 1895. But they were not Jews, and Dreyfus was. That he was rich, and that no motive for his treachery could be produced, of course only heightened his offense in the popular mind; it was just that kind of causeless crime which, in their belief, his race was famous for. As the anti-Semite Libre Parole said from the beginning, "the officer is a Jew," and that was enough. The Minister of War and the court-martial continue to assert that the proof against Dreyfus was conclusive. It would seem highly desirable to publish it, then, inasmuch as the only documents which have been published turn out to be far from conclusive.

# The Rural Press.

At a meeting of the officers and members of the Rural Press Associamembers of the Rural Fress Associa-tion, held yesterday, several papers from outside counties were admitted. Owing to the admissions of newspapers from other counties an amendment was made to the constitution changing the name of the organization from the Rural Press Association of Los An-geles County to the Rural Press Asso-ciation of Southern California.

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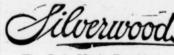
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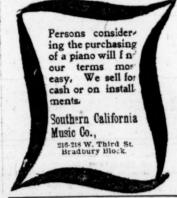
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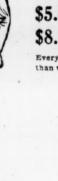


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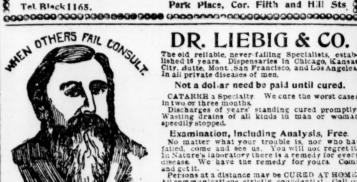


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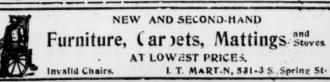
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# COFFEE-HOUSE LIFE OF THE NATIONS. By a Special Contributor.

IN THE ORIENT HAT brandy is to the Irish and stout ale to the Englishman, the black alcohol-coffee-is to the

oriental is mirrored in his coffee-house, reflecting his abilities and dignities. It is the concentrated point of his active laziness, and the idle imaginings of his brain. Despite the fact that Madam Gossip is always there, grinding with her teeth the hard nuts of the scandalmongers and corrupt Pashas, we scarcely feel her presence in the still-ness of the gesticulating coffee-sippers. coffee-houses in the Orient look like barns, wherein Populists hold their political meetings, as neither marble-plated tables nor chairs can be found among its furniture. Small tables, and chairs like those in the Sunday-school, where, of course, are small children, are arrayed in lines for Mohammed's prohibitionists, who are sober while alive, but expect to get drunk after death. Round those small tables the orientals sit sipping their coffee, smok-ing their tobacco through purified glass es—the nargehli—while they are lis-ning attentively to the wonderful es of Arabian's "Thousand and One hts." which the story-teller relates le he walks up and down, like an or on a stage. Of course, this scene only be viewed at night, but then, istic tales as how a prince was trans-lated by the spell of a medium into a butterfly, can only be told iln the dark-

The oriental goes away from his coffee-house refreshed by the consolation of religion more than a church membe Sunday sermon. jouse is as a rule,, open until 9 o'clock is as after that hour no person wes in the street. In Constantinople coffee-bouses serve as traps to thieves. Only one coffee-house at the Golden Horn has permission to keep open all night, and the eyes of the Holy Hermadad are also open upon its vis-

In the day time the coffee-house pre-sents to us the life of the oriental in its various manifestations. Here we can see a pasha playing dominoes with a private. The orientals are like children, and so are fond of playing games The military discipline as maintained by the European powers, is unknown in the Orient. The discipline consists more love, and the general is not ashamed play with a common soldier. I think that that is the reason why the Tur-kish soldiers are the best fighters. At another table we notice two venerable patriarchs, who, while sipping their coffee, talk of those matters between heaven and earth of which our schoolmasters never heard; which our school-masters never heard; while near by two merchants are planning a new scheme how to deceive the tax-collec-tor. In the coffee-house there are no class distinctions, which is unknown to the Arabs. Another feature of the oriental coffee-house is the stillness which reigns there, despite the multi-tude of visitors. The coffee is boiled to order, the process of cooking lasts but a few minutes, and the coffee is shaken while boiling, so that a black cream, or foam, called kaimack, is formed.

IN THE OCCIDENT. The nature of the cultured European nations, which is in contrast to the oriental, is also mirrored in the coffee-house. The coffee-house in the cultured cities, as Vienna, Berlin and others s the central point of life's activity Contrary to the custom of the Orient he coffee-houses of these cities are furnished with the greatest luxury. These tell the stranger that he is within the realm of civilization, where light and shadow are mingled in a a group of those people known as "lit-erary tramps." You will find among them poets, artists, philosophers, all neglected geniuses, whom misery, neglected geniuses. whom misery, which loves company, has thrown together. The life of those cultured tramps is very interesting—careless in dress, in manner and habits, they spend their time generally at their allotted table, disputing on the topics of the day according to their individual views. These coffee sincer are often hese coffee-sippers are often by wealthy visitors to that nectar, and, as a rule, each has his cranky patron. These tramp has his cranky patron. These coffee-house sages are not customers desired by the waiters, because no drink money, or backshish can be expected form them. The drink money is an oriental custom. If you take a cup of coffee for a nickel, you give the waiter two pennies for his attention to you. On the table at those gatherings, you will notice with astonishment the heap of newspapers of all political and religious colors, piled around, so that you will be impressed as though you were in the office of a great American newspaper. The press, which is regarded as the mentor of the people, is the first thing to which the early rising coffee-house visitor pays attention, taking his daily lesson the people, is the first thing to which the early rising coffee-house visitor pays attention, taking his daily lesson from the great schoolmaster, the editor. As breakfast is taken in the coffee-house—consisting of coffee cake and eggs—the waiter gives them. in addition to their bodily food, spiritual nourishment in the shape of a paper. It is interesting to visit such a coffee-house in the ways of the such a coffee-house in the ways of the such a coffee-house in the ways of the such as the su use in the morning from 6 to 10 a.m. behold brokers, clerks, ladies o house in the morning from 6 to 10 a.m., to behold brokers, clerks, ladies of fashion, and working men and girls, each one deeply interesting in his or her pet paper. It makes the same impression upon you as if you were in a library. In the afternoon the coffee-house is packed with people, who, according to the custom, are coming to sip their after-dinner coffee. Here you will notice the professional gamblers, and there the old rheumatism-ridden gentlemen playing their dominoes, while opposite, wealthy brokers are outlining their schemes for tomorrow's operations at the stock exchange. Here, merchants are writing their contracts, while there young folks of both scases are writing their inspired love letters. Amid the noise of the billiard players the uproar of the gamblers, the sweet whisper of love telephones her tidings of joy, for the coffee-house is the meeting-place of those whose hearts are wounded by Cupid's arrows. The coffee-house is a temperance institution, and it has spread more blessings than the worker. Those whose hearts are wounded by Cupid's arrows. The coffee-house is a temperance institution, and it has spread more blessings than the words of its apostles. Despite the fact that the coffee-house is perfumed with to-bacco, ladies of all standards do not object to it.

bject to it.

When the clock strikes 10 p.m.—the the world retires to rest in Mornbeus's arms, and ceases to live, while the other half of the world begins to live the life of which the other half knows nothing—the night owls, the demimonde and the stupified dude fill the coffee houses which are blessed with a night charter from the police. Peddlers of all sorts follow in the footsteps of those night-walkers, like the eagle and robber-birds following marching soldiers to battlefields. The night coffee house is often the source from which the reporters get the cream of their "crime items." The devil in the stovepipe meets his Lilith in fashionable

dress in the coffee-house, and such a meeting is often like a Walpurgis night. The people of the Old World can be ut into three classes; the coffee-house a public place; the wine and beer all, where the citizens go; and the liquor saloon, which is the place of the

the smiles of the young lady waiter which is a smile, and nothing more. coffee-house in the style of the Ol World with a common public hu world with a common public hus, would render a great service to the temperance movement, and, applying the rules of homeopathy, we could cure with the black alcohol—coffee—the white alcohol—rum.

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ing, such an enterprise would fulfill its purpose, as Manathan's coffee-house in New York City is a living evidence of PROF. NAPHTALI HERZ IMBER.

### MUSICAL EVENTS.

Johan Haae-Zinck gave an enjoyable ong recital at the Blanchard-Fitzger ald Hall last evening. Mr. Zinck was in particularly good voice and his numbers were given an artistic, sympathetic interpretation that drew forth the heartiest of applause. Miss Blanche the polonaise in C-sharp minor (Chopin,) and also assisted very satisfactorily as accompaniste. The Angelus Quartette opened and closed the programme and Miss Rosina Rosin, contralto, contributed a couple of solos, which were both honored with an encore. Mr. Zinck's numbers were an aria from the Danish opera, "Kroatinedn" (Otto Dutch) "Total Eclipse" core. Mr. Zinck's numbers were an aria from the Danish opera, "Kroatinden" (Otto Dutch,) "Total Eclipse" from the oratorio of "Samson" (Handel.) "Standchen" (Schubert.) "Betrayed" (M. R. Lang.) and "Over the Far Blue Hills, Marie" (Blumenthal.) Miss Villa Whitney White, the so-

prano, who will give a series of three song and lecture recitals at Music Hall this week, will be assisted by Miss Mary B. Dillingham, and at her first appear. B. Dillingram, and at her list appears ance in this city tomorrow avening, will make the subject of her recital "German Folk-Song from the Fifteenth Century to Our Time." arranged by Dr. Heinrich Reiman of Berlin. The pro-

Heinrich Reiman of Berlin. The Bro-gramme will be as follows:

"Ich spring in diesem Ringe" (1454,)
"Die Linde im Thal" (1549,) "Linden-lauh" (1549,) "Absciled von Innsbruck" (1475,) "Pommerisches Volkslied" (1560,) (1475,) "Pommerisches Volkslied" (1560,)
"Wachterlied" (1525,) "Schwabisches
Volkslied" (1570,) "Die Lore," "Der
Firsch," "Erinnerung an's Schatzle,'
Sninnerliedchen," "Tanzlied" (1601,)
(Hans. Leo Hasler.)
"Sagt, wo sind die Veilchen hin"
(1782,) (J. A. P. Schultz.)
"My Mother Bids Me Bind My Hair."
(Josef Haydn.)
"Haidenroslein," (Franz Schubert.)
"Auf Flugeln des Gesanges," (Felix
Mendelssohn.)

Mendelssohn.) "An den Sonnenschein," (Robert

Mendelssohn.)

"An den Sonnenschein," (Robert Schuman.)

"Wiegenlied." (Johannes Brahms.)

The New York Sun says: "Miss White is a native of Boston, where her first lessons were taken, but she afterward became the intimate friend and pupil of Mme. Amalie Joachim, and was heard in this artist's concerts a few years ago. Miss White's studies have been constantly pursued with the most serious and conscientious spirit, aided by an unusually strong and clear intellect. Precision and order show conspicuous in all her work, as well as a deep reverence and tenderness that are quick to appreciate the salient or touching points of every composer's work. She has read extensively, and, with the able cooperation of Dr. Relman of Berlin, she has prepared several series of lectures upon the history of music, which she illustrates by songs interspersed, which throw light upon the literage and intentions of many comthe lives and intentions of many posers, or explain the progress and de-velopment of an especial form of the art, starting from its crudest begin-

The nominating committee reported at the meeting of the St. Cecilians yes terday afternoon in the Ebell Club house, and the following officers were house, and the following officers were elected: Mrs. George Steckel, president; Miss Anna Shepard, first vice-president; Miss Lulu Gibson, second vice-president; Mrs. L. G. Abernethy, secretary; First National Bank, treasurer; Mrs. George Danskin, president of the executive board: Mrs. I. L. Pierce, librarian; the Misses Dalsy Betzold and Anira Whiteman, assistant librarians, and J. C. Dunster, conductor. The officers, who constitute the executive board, will hold a meeting in the near future for the purpose of appointing the standing committees.

A concert will be given in the Unirich and the character with the

will be rendered:
Piano duet from "Kawalski," Miss
Phillips and Mr. Crist.
Vocal solo, Miss Stella Heartt,
Reading, Miss Beula Wright.
Vocal solo, "The Journey" (Mendelssohn)—A. H. Cogswell.

W.S.C. Glee Club, "On, Gallant Com-

W.S.C. Glee Club, "On, Gallant Company," (Becker.)
Reading, Miss Beula Wright.
Organ solo, "Song of the Nymphs"
(Pfefferkorn)—R. H. Crist.
Vocal solo, Miss Stella Heartt.
Chorus, "The Bells" (Ezechiels.)
Miss Phillips and Miss Williams will
passist as accompanistes. assist as accompanistes.

No Charge for Diverting Cars. The Southern Pacific Railway Company has decided to withdraw th charge of \$2.50 a car for diverting shipments of fruit. This rule will go into effect February 1. It has been the custom of ehippers of fruit to consign a car to some point in the East solely for the purpose of getting it near to the market, and then to divert the car to any point where there happened to be a demand for it. Owing to the numerous diversions that one car was sometimes subjected to, and the extra expense which it entailed, the railroad caused a charge of \$2.50 a car to be made for each diversion. This, however, will now be done away with, much to the satisfaction of fruit shippers. charge of \$2.50 a car for diverting

Willing to Fall.

[Boston Traveler:] Mamma Why dld you strike little Elsie; you naughty boy, you? Dick. Well, what did she want to cheat for, then Mamma. How did she cheat?

Dick. Why, we were playing at Adam and Eve, and she had the apple to tempt me with—and she never tempted me—but went and ate it all up hereal? How did she cheat?

He Has Company.

[Fresno Republican:] The Sacramento Bee says: "Arthur McEwen is now out against William J. Bryan. McEwen would not be Arthur if he could be consistent for longer than a year at a time." The opinion of Arthur McEwen does not necessarily count for more than that of any other intelligent Democrat, but the fact that a vast multitude of his fellow-partisans have arrived at practically the same conclusion regarding the Nebraska statesman will count for a great deal. Whether the Bee is right in its opinion that Mr. McEwen cannot be consistent for more than a year at a time we do not know. Being a Democrat, it is probably true. It also seems quite apparent that this is the year in which he is going to be

### PERSONALS

. P. Gray, of the California Construc-

S. M. Kelsey of the Lost Horse mine arrived in the city last night. He is registered at the Hollenbeck.

Albert K. Smiley and Daniel Smiley f Redlands arrived in Los Angeles esterday. They are registered at the

U. F. Newlin, the chief clerk of the

U. F. Newlin, the chief clerk of the Hotel del Coronado, arrived on the evening train last night from San Diego and registered at the Hollen-beck. He came to Los Angeles to meet a large Raymond party booked for his

OUR GOLD AND SILVER.

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE SECURING

OF MORE ACCURATE STATISTICS.

Explains to Secretary Bliss How the System Could Be Improved Present Statistics Incomplete.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Charles D. Wolcott, director of the Geological Sur-

vey, has sent to Secretary Bliss a re

statistic or gold and silver production more accurately than is now done. At present the statistics of mineral pro-

luction are gathered and compiled by

he division of mineral resources of the Geological Survey, with the exception of those of gold and silver, which are under the charge of the Director of the

The method adopted by the Director

process. It frequently occurs that mines are relocated, first by one party and then by another, and thus have several names, and each one of these names finds its way to the list. Again, many of the organizations have no legal existence whatever. This causes it found companies.

many of the organizations have a causes ral existence whatever. This causes joint companies" known by so many names as to be duplicated and trippicated in the reports. The greatest ource of error is undoubtedly exagneration, an incentive to which comes caration, an incentive to which comes caration.

reaction, an incentive to which comes from the desire of owners to sell mines or extensions of them, and the hope that the individual statement may be

Mr. Wolcott estimates the cost of this work at \$20,000 annually, or \$25,000, if

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

NADEAU—E. J. Fulton, Sacramento; H. A. Dillenberg, Baltimore: E. C. Snyder, New Haven, Ct; H. R. Mackee, Arl., atom. Ct; H. R. Mackee, Arl., atom. Sacramento; Ct. H. R. Mackee, Arl., atom. Sacramento; E. J. Jeffrey, Azusa; J. R. Pay. e. New York; D. I. Bill, F. T. Shortell, S. n. Francieso; A. Davis, San Francieso; F. Hark. Sees. Lemon; H. C. de Muth, Dayton, O; G. C. Thaxter, Redlands; W. M. Chambilin, Riverside; F. P. Bolce and wife, Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Carter, San Francieco; U. F. Newlin, Coronedo; W. W. Ross, San Francisco; John W. Craig, Rialt); S. L. Leszynsky, San Francisco; H. C. Rathm II, Chicago; E. P. Gray, J. W. Cushing L. T. Roberts. San Francisco; J. C. Hall, R dlands; Allan Black, John McCulloch, Matthew Tayler, St. Paul; W. O. McKinney and wfe. Chicago; M. Cregan, San Francisco; A. W. Buddenberg, St. Louis; J. Harrisen Wright, Riverside; W. C. Forg, San Bernard no; T. A. Dempsey, Chicago; M. E. Post, Cucamonga; Frank Peters; Fred S. Cox. C. G. Thomes San Francisco; Robert S. Drake, wife and child, Kanasa City; E. Weber, Chicago; S. M. Kolsey, Lost Horse mine; Miss Rittenhouse, Miss May Rittenhouse, Baltimore; T. Farrell, w fe and child, New York; Conrrd Schroeder, Eugene Schroeder, Scranton, Pa.; John Kuhn, Philadelphie; Francis J. Heney, San Francisco; Brookings Maxwell, St. Louis; William W. Rockwell, Pittsfield, Mass.; W. W. H. de, Connecticut; C. F. Lape, W. B. Beamer, San Bernardno, R. Chur, Pale City, O. B. S. Strible.

connecticut; C. F. Lape, W. B. Beamer, San Bernardino.

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work at \$20,000 annually, or \$25,000, Alaska be included. MARRIOTT.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

port on the subject of collecting

F. J. Kipp and wife are registered at he Van Nuys. B. W. Wells, Jr., of the United States avy, is at the Van Nuys. A BILL IN CONGRESS TO EXTEND H. Phillips left yesterday for New York City on an extended stay. THE SYSTEM. Messrs. Allan Black, John McCulloch nd Matthew Taylor, all of St. Paul, re at the Hollenbeck.

o the Principle of the Old Penny ports on it Favorably, Dwelling

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES. WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 .- A bill has en favorably reported to the House of Representatives, by which people living in the country are enabled to arrange for the delivery of their mail

Van Nuys.
C. B. Sloat, assistant general passenger agent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad, will leave today for Fort Worth, Texas. The bill provides that whenever one or more persons, who receive their mail through the same office, shall pe-tition to have their mail delivered and for Fort Worth, Texas.

General Passenger Agent John J.

Byrne of the Santa Fé left the city
yesterday for San Francisco, where he
expects to remain for a few days.

A. McC. Hardenbergh of New Brunswick, N. J., is staying at the Wsetminster. Mr. Hardenbergh has recently
purchased a ranch near Burbank. He
expects to make Southern California
his home. collected, it shall then be the duty of collected, it shall then be the duty of the postmaster to appoint such persons as are willing to undertake the delivery and collection of mail in towns or places where no free delivery exists. The committee is of the opinion that when such a request is made from the people of any village or town their re-quest should be greated.

> ter carriers so appointed shall be ove 16 years of age, and that said lette To years of age, and that said letter carriers may make an agreement with the persons to whom such mail matter is delivered or collected for such compensation as may be agreed upon, and when no compensation is agreed upon such letter carriers may receive 1 cent for the delivery of each piece of mail matter, and they may demand and receive at least 1 cent for each package and letter they may collect and convey to the postoffice. Such compensation shall be in full for all services, and none of such carriers shall have any claim upon the Postoffice Department for compensation for services thus rendered. No letter or other mail matter shall be delivered by the postmaster to such carrier without a written request has been lodged at the postoffice for the delivery of mail to such letter carrier. The letter carrier so appointed shall give bonds for the faithful performance of bis duty.
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> The committee to which the bill was referred has reported upon it as follows:
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> "The bill appears to the committee a

"The bill appears to the committee a reasonable and proper one. It is substantially like the old penny-post system, which grew year by year into extended practice, until the system of free delivery has become operative in all places or towns of over 10,000 in abbitants. There has of late been a great demand that some such system as this should be extended as far as possible, and it has been called for not only by villages, but by farming communities. Petitions and resolutions have been passed calling for suitable action that accommodations of this kind may be extended in the manner proposed by this bill. The demand appears to be a growing one, and the committee sees no reason why such a request should be withheld from the people thus demanding them."

MARRIOTT. "The bill appears to the committee a The method adopted by the Director of the Mint for the collection of the gold and silver statistics is to obtain reports from private refineries of the quantities of their finished products placed by them upon the market each year, and the records of the mint's asay offices showing the amount of gold and silver of domestic production annually deposited at those institutions. The portion of the annual domestic product of the precious metals which does not go either to the refineries or to the mint's assay offices is stated by the Director of the Mint to be accurately obtainable. By this system, however, there is no method of obtaining full information regarding the sources of the gold and silver so reported.

Gold and silver so rejorted.

### SURPLUS OF ORGANS. Man Who Had Two Hearts and

Two Stomachs.

[Cincinnati Enquirer:] Dr. L. E. Hadley of David City, Neb., has in his possession the remains of the most remarkably formed human being who ever lived. To a reporter he said: "Some time ago a man named Marshall removed from Seward to Lincoln, where he had been in the grocery bus ness, an it was not long before I was called upon to attend him. He was alternately joyful and moody, and I supposed his Gold and silver statistics are among the most important which the government collects, and accurate information regarding the gold and silver production is more generally desired an probably that of any other mineral product. To be entirely satisfactory, Mr. Wolcott thinks, the statistics hould also include statements as to the products of each district, the sources, whether quartz or placer, the haracter of the ore, whether free milling or leeching, and the methods of reatment in each district. Mr. Wolcott does not think the reports should injoyful and moody, and I supposed h mind to be affected, although he seem to be rational enough in business ma

"He said that he was constantly hu reatment in each district. Mr. Wolcott does not think the reports should include inquiries into the cyanide, clorination, bromine, or ther processes, but recommends that there be ascertained the number of persons employed in mining, their wages, and the cost of production.

Mr. Wolcott thinks that the work of the director of the mint should be congry upon one side or other of his body while it was impossible for him to ea while it was impossible for him to ea except a certain amount. I treated him for indigestion absolutely with success but he appeared to be better satisfied than I was and told me that he never expected to be cured. He has suffered at times ever since he could remember Mr. Wolcott thinks that the work of the director of the mint should be continued, and that he should obtain all possible statistics of the amount of gold and silver refined and minted. But he advises that the Geological Survey be enabled to investigate production at the mines, thus obtaining a valuable check on the mint. physically and mentally. Even morallhe was controlled by irresistible im
pulses of good and bad, going to ex
tremes as a devout Christian and a
debauché. He and I became warr
friends, and he talked to me freely. He
seemed to have a dual existence, and
none of the symptoms as laid down in
the books would appear as expected
when he was ill.

"It was simply impossible to render physically and mentally. Even moral

"It was simply impossible to render anything like a correct diagnosis of his ailments. Usually he was in good health, but when he became otherwise there was no power in medicine, it having no apparent effect up him. I was baffled and knew he was formed differently from other men, but how I could never tell. Mentally he was as much as an enigma as physically. He would be talking perfectly retionally, when a

never tell. Mentally he was as much as an enigma as physically. He would be talking perfectly retionally, when a strange gleam would come into his eyes, and he would beg me to lock him up. Often he said he felt as though there was another being within him who was constantly striving for the mastery of the body, and that his other self sometimes succeeded in overpowering him. I supposed him to be partly demented and told him not to allow his mind to dwell upon the subject.

"One day I was called to his bedside, and to all appearances he was dying. I felt that it was too late to do anything for him, and within an hour he diedath—but a few hours later there were signs of returning animation, and the next day he was able to leave his bed, but complained that he seemed to have a heavy weight bearing down upon him internally. He said that mentally he felt perfectly sane for the first time in his life, and the old impression that another self was trying to obtain mastery of him was gone. For weeks my friend and patient was in better health than I had ever known him, except that he constantly grew weaker, and the load he felt as though he carried became heavier. His breath, too. be-

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Interesting Experience of an Indian apolis Gentleman.

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with headaches; still others are troubled with loss of flesh and appetite, with accumulation of gas, sour risings and heartburn. Mr. A. W. Sharper of No. 61 Prospect street, Indianapolis, Ind., writes as follows; "A motive of pure gratitude prompts me t write these few lines regarding the new an valuable med.cine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tab-lets. I have been a sufferer from nervou Jets. I have been a sufferer from nervou dyspepsia for the last four years; have used various patent medicines and other remed exithout any favorable result. They som times gave temporary relief until the effects of the medicine wore off. I attribute this to my sedentary habits, being a bookkeeper, with little physical exercise, but I am glad to state that the tablets have overcome all these obstacles, for I have gained in fiesh, sleep better, and am better in every way. The above is written not for notoriety. way. The above is written not for notoriety but is based on actual fact. "Respectfully yours,
"A. W. SHARPER,

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came offensive, and while the flesh re-tained its firmness his body seemed to be putrid. It was not long before death relieved his sufferings—this time death relieved his sufferings—this time forever. His last request was that I should hold a post-mortem examination, the only request of the kind I ever heard of being made. It was complied with. The words, 'If there is anything with. The words, if there is anything abnormal about me, as I believe there is, I give you, as my best friend, my body. If it is but a hallucination of mine, I want you to attend to its

mine, I want you to attend to its burial."

"After the death of Mr. Marshall I held the post-mortem as directed and, to my utter astonishment, found two hearts, two sets of lungs, two livers and two stomachs. One set had been dead for some time and was decayed, while the other would have been in sound condition except for the death of the first one. The phenomenon was similar to that of the Slamese twins, except that in the case I speak of there was but one body, and within it was constant conflict between the two numan beings who occupied it."

#### MASTERFUL MRS. SLIMS. he Neatness with Which She Broke Up a Dog Fight.

Up a Dog Fight.

[Scranton Tribune:] The men who was doing the talking has endured a good many hard ancess white making a very successful way through the world, and, like most persons who have survived such experience, has very decided opinions of his own. "I've always egarded woman as the weaker vessel," it said, "but want to say right here hat Mrs. Slims is a very remarkable erson. I don't believe she could teli. Fercheron from a Kentucky thoroughbred, yet I saw her start a balky orse the other day after twenty men nd boys had been beating, kicking and ursing the poor brute for half an our. The persuasion she used was a ouple of lumps of sugar and a few lind words.

"But it was just vesteday that she

ou can gauge her knowledge of dogs om the fact that she paid \$5 for a ou can gauge her knowledge of dogs rom the fact that she paid \$5 for a ong-haired mongrel puppy, under the inpression that she was buying an instocratic pug. Slims has a buil terler that's a professional fighter, and forton, who lives next door, owns a ig \$t. Bernard. The two dogs began argument through the fence, and he larger one simplified matters by rashing through a board into Slim's and. The whole neighborhood was soon engaged in an effort to part hem. Strong hands tugged at tails, egs and ears. Clubs were freely used water was dashed upon the belligernts, and the stern orders for them o break away' could be heard blocks of them of the scene she seemed to grasp the situation in one terrified glance. She lew into the house, dashed out again, and inside of a minute had the savage fighters slinking away from each "How did she do it?"

fighters slinking away from each other."
"How did she do it?"
"Bottle of ammonia. Surest thing on arth to break up a dog fight, and it's original with her. Why, those two terrible beasts quit like pet sheep, and the joke of it is that each dog thinks the other administered the awful dose. They never see each other now that they do not curl their nose as though sniffing ammonia, and trot briskly in opposite directions."

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# Events in Society.

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The Count and Countess von Goetzen, who included a short visit to Los Angeles in their wedding journey, were the guests of honor at a very elegant dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Miner last Sunday, at their res-idence on Scarff street. The Count is a noted African traveler as well as a military and naval attaché from Germany to the United States, and the Countess, who is famed for her excep-tional beauty, was formerly Mrs. Lay of Washington, D. C. The other guests at the dinner were Mrs. John P. Jones of Santa Monica, Mr. and Mrs. J. C, Drake, Mrs. Longstreet, A. H. Wilcox and Dr. Barlow. The table decora-tions, which were in silver, green and white, were strikingly effective. A large potted maidenhair, resting upon large potted maidenhair, resting upon a centerpiece of white silk, elaborately embroidered in eliver, occupied the center; on either side were tall silver candelabra shaded in green, and at the corners were silver candlesticks, similarly shaded. Scattered with charming effect over the table were tall, slender cut-glass vases and tiny bud vases filled with white hyacinths and maidenhair.

A large and very delightful reception was given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. William G. Cochran and Mrs. Winfred R. Hunt at the residence of the former on Loma Drive. Mmes. Sara. Hunt, John Hunt, Burt Estes Howard, Earl B. Millar, J. H. F. Peck, A. A. Hubbard and F. W. Blanchard assisted in receiving, and the Misses Katherine Johnson and Eleanor Tuttle presided over the nunch table in the A. Hubbard and F. W. Blanchard assisted in regeiving, and the Misses Katherine Johnson and Eleanor Tuttle presided over the punch table in the library. Music was furnished during the affair by a mandolin orchestra stationed in the hall. The house decorations, which had been arranged by Mrs. Bancroft, were exceedingly artistic. In the drawing-room the mantel was banked with double scarlet geraniums and about the room were masses of poinsettias; scarlet castropean with its rich foliage, clusters of geraniums and a frieze of English ivy. Paskets of red roses and pink carnations, with garlands of smilax decorated the hall, and the library, with its unique and graceful frieze of eucalyptus covered with white bloesoms, was particularly pretty. The mantel and book cases were banked with laurestinus; here and there were clusters of yellow roses, and the punch bowl was banked with purple violets and white marguerites. In the dining-room, where refreshments were served under the direction of Reynolds, everything was in golden yellow. The table was decorated with a large centerpiece of calendulas and bows of yellow satin ribbon; trails of bignonia covered thickly with glowing flowers were wreathed about the walls and from the chandelier to the corners of the room were caught broad yellow ribbons. Among those who were there were: Meedames—E. T. Stimson, J. N. Van Nuys, C. N. Sterry,

J. N. Van Nuys, W. H. Stimson, J. A. Montgomery, B. L. Horton, J. S. Vosburg, Mesdames— T. Stimson, N. Sterry, D. Hooker, H. Moore, L. Chapman, P. Johnson, B. Hobbs, S. Vosburg,
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H. Pattee,
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W. Sanders,
W. Lee,
A. Montgomery,
W. Gaty,
T. Powell,
Reynolds, Z. D. Mathuss, J. Burdette, E. H. Fellows, P. F. Schumacher. Misses— E. H. Parsons, Helen Fairchild, Ivy Schoder, Van Dyke, Daggett, H. Daggett, Clemons, Conger, Tuttle, Coleman,

Perley,
Hooker,
F. L. Jones,
N. M. Conger,
Gertrude Johnson,
Robinson,
Bryant,
Bumiller,
E. J. Tuttle,
Fairchild,
Groff,

The Tuesday Night Club's dancing party at Turnveein Hall last evening was, as usual, a delightful affair. Among those who were there were;

Metadames—
W. H. Holliday, Fred A. Hines, William West, Misses—
Seek. Fannie Lavng.

Misses—Seek, Kate Norman of St. Joseph, Mo., Jessle Norman, Alyce Keenan, Gertrude Gooding, Charlotte Miller, Genevieve Smith, Bessie Bonsall, Marie Burnett, Lou Winder, McQueen, May Howell, Minnie Prentiss, Onie Howell of Oakland, Lucile Daniel, Kate Landt, McSSTS.—W. H. Holliday. Eleanor Pattee, Weldon of San Fran-Weldon of San Francisco,
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Mont.,
Demins,
Hack,
Irene Stephens,
Wellborn,
Lilian Wellborn,

Messrs.
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Fred A. Hines,
William West,
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D. Sale,
Warden of Pittsburgh,
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Spangler,
Cloud,
H. S. Williams,
W. G. Barnmell,
Dr. Walrath. Waiter Chansior,
Clegs
John Mott,
B. E. Green,
Joe Desmond,
Ballard,
Gay Lewis,
Frank Forrester,

Robert
Van Dy
Spangi
Cloud,
H. S.
Dr. W.
G.
Dr. W.

Mrs. J. M. Bailhache gave a charming luncheon yesterday at her residence on Monmouth avenue, in honor of Mrs. J. H. Barbour of San Diego. The other guests were Mmes. Frank W. Burnett, Shirley Ward, Lucla Burnett, Charles Wellborn, A. C. Baich, A. H. Busch, C. M. Baker and Miss Goodin. The decorations, which combined beautiful shades of red and green, were most effectively arranged. The center of the table, which was covered with Battenberg lace, was occupied by a large silver candelabrum, filled with red candles and resting upon a silver-framed mirror. Longstemmed red roses filled a tall greensand-gold Yenetlan yaso at one corner.

and a bowl of the same glass at the other end. At another corner was a smart bow of broad green ribbon, and scattered over the table were small bowls of fred Venetian glass, filled with sprays of farleyense fern. The place cards were wide green satin ribbons, covered with white mousseline de soie, on which were painted dainty cupids and garlands and clusters of red roses. The chandelier was wreathed with smilax and shaded in red, and the buffet was decorated with red roses and smilax and lighted with a poir of quaint old crystal candelabra, holding green candles. The menu was served under the direction of Reynolds.

by a dance for the young people of the house and their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman and the Misses Kate and Jessie Norman of St. Joseph, Jan. 24. A Fairchild returned yesterday from a ten-days visit to San Francisco pair of the Times.

STEVENSON'S REGIMENT.

How Many of Its Members are on Earth Today?

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Looking over a San Francisco paper a day or two since. I

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Clark gave a dinner last evening at their residence on South Grand avenue, at which the guests were Judge Hopkins of Prescott, Ariz.; Miss Jane Bowman of Brownsville, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corbett of Butte, Mont. The table decorations were carnations and smilax.

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Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Hitchcock entertained at dinner lest evening at their residence on South Grand avenue. The table was prettily decorated, a large potted maldenhair, massed about with violets, forming the centerpiece. From the chandelier to the corners of the table were festooned yellow satin ribbons, while over the center was suspended a basket of violets and white hyancinths. Ropes of smilax were swung from the chandelier to the corners of the rooms and throughout the other rooms were quantities of potted ferns and palms and garlands of smilax, among which were caught large butterfiles of delicately tinted crepe. The guests were the Rev. and Mrs. F. V. Fisher of San Bernardino, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Davisson, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Rule and Miss May Hitchcock. . . .

Mrs. Mary Clark celebrated her eighty-fourth birthday Monday evening with a delightful family dinner, at her residence on South Olive street. Mrs. Clark was born in Connellsville, Pa., in 1814, and came to Los Angeles in 1882. Her sons are William A. Clark of Montana, James Ross Clark of this city, and Joseph K. Clark of Montana, and her daughters are Mrs. Juaquin Abascal, Mrs. T. F. Miller, Miss Anna Clark and Miss Ella Clark, who have been residents of Los Angeles for many years. There were present at the dinner Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Clark, their guests Mr. and Mrs. Frank Corbett of Butte, Mont.; Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Miller, Mrs. Gposhon, the Misses Anna and Evans Miller, little Miss Margaret Miler and Walter Clark, and the two representatives of the fourth generation of the family present. Sara and Clark Zimbrick. The table was decorated with a profusion of pink carnations, violets, asparagus ferns and maldenhair.

A charming informal tea was given yesterday afternoon by Miss de Ur-quiza and the Misses Ada and Alloc Moore, at the De Urquiza residence on Santee street. The rooms were very prettily decorated with scarlet gera-niums. The guests were:

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Mesdames—
Gilbert E. Overton, De Urquiza.

Misses— Nannie Dillon, Dillon, Norton, Weldon of San Fran-Nannie Dillon,
Overton,
Bowen,
Florence Jones,
Rose Meyer,
Alleen Smith,
Maude Smith,
Lulu Denker,
Kate Howard,
De Celis,
Clara Mercereau. weldon of San Fran-cisco, Brooks, Drake of Portland, Schmeiding, Jane Campbell, Eleanor Drake of Portland, Grace Knapp of Philadelphia,

Miss Mabel Garnsey entertained at luncheon yesterday at ther home on West Twenty-eighth street, in honor of Miss Ruth Pickering. The other guests were the Misses Shankland, Clara Mercereau, Julia Mercereau, Florence Silent, Schoder, Georgia Knight and Gertrude Gooding. The table was artistically decorated with pink carnations and maidenbair, arranged in May baskets tied with pink ribbon, at each place, and in a large basket in the center, resting upon a centerpiece of Battenberg lace over pink satin.

The Kenilworth Club gave the fourth of its dances of the season on Mon-day evening, at its hall on West Wash Among the member

Gibbs Scofield, Schumacher, Misses— Misses— Tritt, Lougheed, Tidball, Schumacher, Seward, Powers, Hannis, Mohl, Starr, Starr, Starr, Starr, Swan,
Landers,
Messrs.—
Packard,
Scofield,
Scofield,
Schumacher,
Peckham,
Havill,
Painter,
Morgan,
Gibbs,
McFadden,
Fitspatrick,
Miles,
Right,
Bosmiller,
Miles,
Riley,
Tidball,
Hannis, Warren,

The wedding of Miss Una Mayes and Clay Dodson of El Monte, took place yesterday at high noon at the Church of Christ. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. B. F. Coulter, and the music was furnished by Miss White. The pulpit platform was decorated with potted plants and smilax, and above the place where the bridal party gathered was suspended a horseshoe of white and pink carnations, white hyacinths and ferns. The bride was gowned in white mulle over white silk, elaborately garnitured with valenciennes lace and insertion, and finished with a stock and sash of white satin. White hyacinths and ferns, tied with long white ribbons, formed the bridal bouquet. The bride was attended by little Miss Minnie Hafemeyer, as flower girl, who was gowned in white swiss and carried white violets. The ushers were Will Dodson and the Misses Stella Mayes, Ida Ryan and Beattle of Hollywood. were Will Dodson and the Misses Stella Mayes, Ida Ryan and Beattle of Hollywood. A reception in the church parlors followed the ceremony, and later Mr. and Mrs. Dodson left for Santa Barbara for a week's visit. They will reside at El Monte. About seventy-five relatives and friends were present at the ceremony.

NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Miner were the guests of the Count and Countess von Goetzen at dinner at the Van Nuys last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibbons of San
Francisco are at the Melrose for the

Francisco are at the Meirose for the winter.

Miss Madge Rogers will leave on Thursday for Globe, Ariz., for a two month's stay.

Mrs. J. H. Barbour of San Diego, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank W. Burnett, will return to her home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Miner will redeave to Corondo on Saturday to

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24.—[To the Editor of The Times:] Looking over a San Francisco paper a day or two since. I noticed the death of James Adams, at the age of 72 years, one of the few sur-York Volunteers. Coming at this time when the State is celebrating its fiftieth anniversary of the memorable discov-ery in the mill race at Coloma, it might be pertinent now to inquire how many of that historical band are now alive. Looking over them as I do and recalling stalwart forms that have long since joined the majority, I feel like quoting a verse that Miles O'Reilly wrote on the fourth anniversary of his regiment's organization:

Of the thousand flashing bayonets But a hundred can march today

organization:

"Of the thousand flashing bayonets
But a hundred can march today;
For some lie asleep in Virginia's swamps,
And others in Maryland's clay,
"While others, far less happy, drag
Their shattered limbs around,
And sigh for the deep, long, blessed sleep
Of the battlefield's holy ground."

Forty years ago I knew hundreds of
men who had belonged to Stevenson's
Regiment. Today I cannot name a halfdozen that are alive. The only one
with whom I have any personal acquaintance is James C. L. Wadsworth,
who came out as clerk to Samuel W.
Halght an uncle of Gov. Halght, sutler of the regiment. Mr. Halght is
over forty years dead, but Mr. Wadsworth was living at Davenport, Iowa,
when I last heard of him. He it was
who furnished the "sinews of war" for
the first attempt at annexation of the
Hawaiian Islands. He was insurance.
commissioner under two administrations of the State Boord of Harbor
Commissioners under another.
Stevenson's Regiment was recruited in
the States of New York and New Jersey at the close of the Mexican war,
for the purpose of protecting the newlyacquired Territory of California against
the Indians. Many of its members were
veterans of the Mexican war, which
was just ended, and they came out
with Stevenson's Regiment because
they had got used to the fascinations
of camp life and could not give it up.
Col. Jonathan D. Stevenson, who commanded the regiment, died in San
Francisco about five years ago at the
ripe age of 92 years. Capt. Henry M.
Naglee and Joseph L. Folsom, who
commanded two of the companies in the
regiment, were prominent men of affairs in the city of San Francisco in
the fifties. Dr. Leavenworth, after
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Parker-was another.

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Three ships were chartered by the government—the Susan Drew, Thomas H. Perkins and Loo Choo—to bring out these troops, and they arrived in San Francisco Bay late in 1846. In 1848, when gold was discovered at Colomamost of them took to their heels and stampeded for the mines. Some of them became rich, but most of them were liberal and thought it was going to last forever. Hence it was that many of them died in abject poverty. In 1893 I was visiting in Newark, N. J., and attended the funeral of James E. Nuttman, who was a sergeant in Stevenson's Regiment; and found to my surprise that I was one of the only three Californians present. Mr. Nuttman was chief engineer of the fire department in San Francisco from 1854 to 1856.

partment in San Francisco from 1854 to 1856.

Their graves are scattered far and wide, over mountain and dale, over desert and garden alike. They were in the front of every enterprise, and the leaders of every mining rush in the days of gold. They were second to none in courage, and by far the kindest and most hospitable element in all our ploneer civilization. The remnant now left can scarcely number over fifty, if that many. It recalls Buchanan Read's stanza of autumn days:

"The embattled forests, erstwhile bright as gold.

Their banners red with every martial hue. Now stood like some sad, beaten host of old. Withdrawn afar in Time's remotest blue."

So the multitude pass on that precede us in the march.

BIRDS OF FINE FEATHER. Poultry Show Opens With a Fine Array of Birds.

The ninth annual poultry show of the Los Angeles County Poultry Association was opened to the public last night at 6 o'clock at Nos. 326-330 South Main street. The attendance was not as large as usual for a first night, but this was due, no doubt, to the cold

weather.

There were about five hundred birds on exhibition—birds with long pedigrees and aristocratic ancestors; chickens with such brilliant plumage that no wonder the ladles rob them to decorate their hats. There were enor-mous light Brahmas and buff Cochins that weigh from 12 to 16 pounds, and little bantams weighing hardly a pound and not much larger than a pigeon. There was also a long row of cages containing dark Brahmas, Partridge Cochins, Black Cochins, various kinds of Plymouth Rocks, Silver Wyandottes, Black Leghorns, Black Minorcas and Blue Andalusians; also bronze turkeys, Pekin ducks, Toulouse geese, fantail, tumbler, Jacobin, homing, pouter and pigmy router pigeons. Probably the most interesting feature of the show is the large incubator, exhibited by J. D. Mercer, containing 400 eggs, from which the little chicks are busily making their debut into the world. Nearly every egg had a little round hole pecked in one end, through which a small bill could be seen industriously at work. As soon as the chicken hatches out, it instinctively goes toward the light and tumbles down into a box underneath, from which it is transferred to the brooder. There was also a fine display of Himalayan rabbits and Belgian hares. The raising of these animals has been very largely taken up by poultry-breeders throughout the country. Their flesh is very good food, and as they are extremely prolific, there is a profit in handling them. A full-grown Belgian hare weighs ten pounds.

Some Persian Guinea pigs and a couple of turtle doves were another agreeable part of the show.

Prizes will be awarded today by Theodore Hughs of Trenton, Mo., who came here especially to act as judge.

The show will continue until Saturday night, and will be open daily from 8 o'clock in the morning until 10 o'clock in the evening. that weigh from 12 to 16 pounds, and little bantams weighing hardly a

At New York Hotels. NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—[Exclusive Dispatch] Mrs. J. A. Frasier is at the Belydere; Miss Chapman, Miss Johnson and E. P. Johnson are at the

# One of Mrs. Pinkham's Talks

Concerning a Mother's Duty to Her Young Daughter. Together with a Chat with Miss Marie Johnson.

The balance wheel of a woman's life is menstruation. On the proper per formance of this function, depends her health. Irregularity lays the foundation of many diseases, and is in itself symptom of disease. It is of the greatest importance that regularity be accomplished as soon as possible after the flow is an established fact.

Disturbance of the menstrual function poison the blood. In young girls suppression develops latent inherited tendencies to scrofula or con-sumption, and no time must be lost in restoring regularity. Many a young girl goes to her grave because this difficulty has been thought lightly of, and mother has said, "Time will bring about a cure; she is young, I don't worry about her."

Mother, when you see your daughter languid and indifferent to things that usually interest a young girl, when you note that flush on her cheek, that glassy appearance in her eyes; when your daughter tells you that even the weight of her dress waist oppresses her, and that she has terri-ble pains in her stomach shortly after eating, don't ignore these signs! If you do, you will be follow-

ur daughter to the grave, for she will die!

ing your daughter to the grave, for she will die!

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studies. I was also troubled with irregularity of
menses. I was very weak, and lost so much flesh menses. I was very weak, and lost so much flesh that my friends became alarmed. My mother, who is a firm believer in your remedies from experience, thought perhaps they might benefit me, and wrote you for advice. I followed the advice and wrote you for Brighton a Argeitable of the second and wrote you for advice. I polyhom's Vagotable of the second and wrote you for advice. you gave, and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills as you directed, and am now as well as I ever was. I have gained flesh

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LINES OF TRAVEL. LOS ANGELES TERMINAL RAILWAY-NOVEMBER 22, 1897.

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NOVEMBER 22, 1897.

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Bidders will submit proposals and will bid for the completion of the entire work in bulk as indicated on plans, profiles and detail drawing of the town of the tity engineer.

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By order of the board of trustees of the town of Santa Monica, at its meeting of January 17th, 1898.

C. S. DALES, City Clerk,

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Marlborough School, West 23d street. econd semester begins February 1. See Trinidad Rubber Company's no-

Sam T. Shaw was made an honorary number of the Theatrical Mechanica' Union last night. A gold badge and a cilver union card were presented to

fore the school board will be made on Thursday evening next (January 27) at 7:30 o'clock in the Council chamber of the City Hall.

the City Hall.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Joe Schloss, Mrs. George Horton, A. C. Fellows, J. M. Currie, P. P. Jennings and Charles O. Karpf.

Superintendent of Railway Mail Service Samuel Flint came down from San Francisco Monday, and left yesterday for a trip over the Randsburg Railway with a view of establishing a regular railway-mail service over the line.

The Los Angeles Directory Company

allway-mall service over the line. The Los Angeles Directory Company as reorganized yesterday, and R. J. Vaters acquired a controlling interest. Ir. Maxwell has retired. D. H. Burks is now the general manager of the company, and will superintend the ork of publishing the City Directory. work of publishing the City Directory.
The case of the United States against
Louie Wah Hong, defendant being
charged with being illegally in the
country, was continued until today, fat
the Federal District Court, to give
Dist.-Atty, Flint time to hear from El
Paso regarding certain evidence in the

forest reservations of Southern The forest reservations of southern California, and the important part-pleyed by them in preserving the timber in the mountains, with the rules and regulations governing all these preserves, is a subject ably treated in an article in the Midwinter Number of The Times.

The Times.

The veterans of the G.A.R. had planned to give Mrs. John A. Logan a reception while she was in the city, but will be unable to carry out their arrangements, as she left Los Angeles for the City of Mexico on the 23d inst. Sam Kutz is in recept of a letter from Mrs. Logan, in which she expresses regret at her inability to remain longer.

# GRINDLE COMES TO GRIEF.

Police Get Even With a Recalcitiant Juror.

The man who mortally offended the men who wear the city's livery by stat-ing that he would place more reliance in the oath of a Chinaman than of a policeman, has had his day of reckoning in the Police Court, and come off worsted. This man is H. Grindle, man-ager of the Pacific Transfer Company, No. 209 West Second street.

Some months ago Grindle was a juror in a Chinese lottery case, on which oc-casion he and another juror made themselves very obnoxious to the police by hanging the jury, which stood ten for conviction and only two for acquittal. The evidence against the de-fendant was so conclusive of his guilt that the court in discharging the jury took occasion to score the two recal-eltrant jurors most severely, saying that they should themselves never seek

that they should themselves never seek redress or equity in a court of justice. Grindle, according to statements of certain officers, expressed his contempt for the police on various subsequent occasions. Naturally, after such treatment, the offended officers would not miss an opportunity to get even with Grindle if he chanced to deviate from the path of rectitude within their purview. Grinle is alleged to have done this very thing last Saturday night, and was promptly nabbed and sent to the City Jail by Officer Fay, who charged him with drunkenness. Grindle was released on ball, and

arged him with drunkenness. Grindle was released on ball, and led to appear for trial in the Police part yesterday. Officer Fay was ere, however, to make his charge od. He testified that Grindle was ded admission to a ball at Turner Hall is Saturday night on account of her nied admission to a ball at Turner Hall lest Saturday night on account of being intoxicated. Fay saw him coming down the stairway after being bounced from the ball, and accosted him. Grindle waxed wroth at the sight of him, the officer alleged, and used very abusive language; so he ran him in. Fay also said Grindle approached him yesterday and begged for mercy, saying he had no prejudice against policemen, and, in fact, respectd them.

The court entered a verdict of guilty and set sentence for today at 1:30 p.m.

# WROTE OBSCENE LETTERS.

Carlile's Bond Forfeited. Mantz Pleads not Guilty.

Mrs. R. A. Carlile was indicted by the oderal grand jury last July for send-g an obscene letter through the mail o Miss J. B. Rutledge of Fresno. Mrs. Carlile was arrested and her ball fixed at \$500, which amount she very promptly deposited in cash as a guarantee that she would be on hand when wanted. She has been in demand several times since then, but cannot be found. United States District Attorney Flint took the trouble to write her several letters asking her to materialbut to no purpose. This morning in the United States District Court her bail was ordered forfeited, and a bench warrant will be issued for the arrest of Mrs. Carlile wherever she may be

of Mrs. Carille wherever she may be.

In the case of the United States
against W. Mantz, who is also charged
with sending an obscene letter through
the mail, and who was indicted by the
Federal grand jury in August last, the
defendant yesterday entered a plea of
not guilty before Judge Wellborn in the
Federal Circuit Court. His trial was
set for February 24.

#### FRAPPED CHINESE. Smuggled into the Country in a Refrigerator Car.

Two Chinese stowaways came to town donday night over the Southern Pacine road snugly hidden in a refrigera-tor car. Chinese Inspector J. D. Put-nam was very considerately at the depot to welcome them when they ar-

Monday morning word was received from Arizona to be on the lookout for some Chinamen who would likely try trrget into Los Angeles over the Southern Pacific; that it was thought a number of Chinese had crossed the line from Mexico, and were making their way north and west. Inspector Putnam searched through half the freight train before he found his men. He speedily hauled them out of the car and carried them off to jail. Yesterday they were brought up before Commissioner Van Dyke for hearing, being charged with being illegally in the country. They gave their names as Wong Tong and Ng Kim. They are of the lowest type of coolies. Their examination was set for next Friday at 2 o'clock. Monday morning word was received

Probably.

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### THE POLICE COURT

Celebrators of Marshall's Discovery Reckon With Their Host.

The number of people who celebrated the semi-centennial of the discovery of gold in California by getting drunk was quite formidable, there being no less than thirty-two cases of this kind for adjudication in the Police Court yesterday. Justice Morrison took cog-nizance of the fact that it was a gala occasion, and made the penalties very occasion, and made the penalties very light for most of the culprits, the fines in only a few instances exceeding \$2 or \$3. He made an excention in the case of a barber who owned up that he had \$28 in his pocket when he came to town, and succeeded in getting relieved of his wealth while quenching his thirst after the long drought due to a prolonged residence in Pasadena. The court invariably makes the penalty heavier for a Pasadena man than in the case of an ordinary drunk, so the bibulous barber was fined \$5, with the usual alternative.

Milo M. Potter, manager of the Van Nuys Hotel, was given a sentence of \$5 or three days for violating the hitching ordinance. Needless to say, he did not choose the three days, as he considers life at his own hostelry far pleasanter than in the Hotel de Glass. A. E. Bolse vas \$med \$2, and A. N. Davidson \$1 for the game offense.

John Emory was fined \$5 for disturbing the peace. light for most of the culprits, the fines

John Emory was fined \$5 for disturbing the peace.
Robert Allen, a colored youth, was found guilty of disturbing the peace.
Allen was one of a party of colored boys who were in Chinatown celebrating the Chinese New Year, when the trouble occurred that led to his arrest. Officer Blackburn testified that he arrested the defendant because he used profane and vulgar language in the hearing of ladies. His testimony was corroborated by that of several other policemen. Allen and his companions alleged that some one in a crowd

alleged that some one in a crowd made a remark that offended Blackburn made a remark that offended Blackburn and that he pounced upon the defendant, applied vile epithets to him, and kicked him repeatedly in a tender spot of his anatomy. The court decided that the testimony of the police outweighed that of the colored youths, and found the defendant guilty as charged. He will be sentenced today.

James Casper, Vaughn Woodruff and Theodore Smith were given sixty-day floaters for begging.

Harry Saiki, a Jap, pleaded not guilty to the charge of malicious mischief, and had his trial set for January 28.

O. W. Carson failed to appear to answer the charge of fast driving, so his ball, \$5, was declared forfeited.

### Licensed to Wed.

Clay B. Dodson, 25 years of age, a native of California and a resident of El Monte, and Una M. Mayes, 23 years of age, also a native of California and a resident of Los Angeles.

John L. Becker, 25 years of age and a native of California, and Eunice C. Darrah, 27 years of age and a native of Ohio; both are residents of Los Angeles.

James E. Hayhurst, 22 years of age, a native of Iowa and a resident of Pomona, and Pearl M. Hawkins, 17 years of age, a native of Texas and a resident of Chino.

Wilmer M. Dolley, 26 years of age, a native of Maine and a resident of Arnative of Maine and a resident of A native of California and a resident of

dent of Chino.

Wilmer M. Dolley, 26 years of age, a native of Maine and a resident of Artesia, and Harriet S. Truman, 15 years of age, a native of Oregon and a resident of Norwalk.

Frank E. Murphy, 23 years of age, a native of New York and a resident of Denver, and Leonora Alice Winston, 18 years of age, a native of California and a resident of Los Angeles.

# DEATH RECORD.

GLOVER-In San Diego, January 24, 1898, Harriette Parke, beloved wife of R. C.

Harricute raise, Glover. Funeral at Orr & Hines, No. 647 South Broadway, Wednerday, 2 p.m. OMEROY—At San Bernardino, Cal., January 24, 1888, Paul Edward, son of Edward F. and Adele H. Pomeroy, aged 2 years 1 month H

days.

Added H. Folinerly, aged 2 years i modul H.

Gays. In this city, January 25, 1898, LEMANS—In this city, January 25, 1898, LSAC, Clemans of Bay City, Mich., aged 81 years, father of L. T. Clemans and A. L. Clemans of this city.

Funeral at 2 p.m., from undertaking parlors of Dexter Samson, No. 529 South Spring street. Friends of family invited to attend.

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1/2 doz. pckgs Yeast Cakes, at .50	.25	16 lb Cavenne Pepper at30	.15
40 lbs Pilot Bread, at	1.80		.10
10 1-lb. Tins Baking Powder, at .40	4.00		.40
500 lbs. Fionr. 50-lb sacks, at., 240	12.00	1 gal Olive Oil at 2.25	2 25
100 lbs. Beans, 1/4 pink, at	2.25	50 lbs. Oried Beef, insides, at15	7.50
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50 lbs. Rolled Oats, at	1 00	2 doz Corn Beef. 1 lb. tins, at 1.15	2 30
75 lbs. Corn Meal, at01/2	1.13	2 doz Roast Beef, 1 lb tins, at 1.15	2 30
60 lbs. D. G. Sugar at 5.90	2.95	10 lbs. Tapioca at	.30
35 lbs. Ham at		½ gross Parlor Matches at60	1.08
	3.42	2) lbs. Lard at	1.40
30 lbs. Bacon Backs at	2,70	no ibs. Dutter (in o io tin cans) at 150	9.00
60 lbs. Breakfast Bacon at	6.00	prunes, figs,) at	7.00
25 lbs. Coffee at	7.50	peaches, apples, raisins,	
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**ECCLESIASTICAL LAW** 

Decision of the Supreme Court in the Case of the First Presbyterian Church

SUPERIOR COURT IN ERROR.

CHURCH WAS LEGALLY DISSOLVED BY THE PRESBYTERY.

Property of the Corporation Legally Body-A Case That Interests All Denominations.

In a letter to The Times, inclosing the full text of the decision of the Supreme Court in the First Presby-terian Church case—the substance of was published when it was down-the writer says: "I which was published when it was handed down—the writer says: "I recollect your very severe, but none too severe, criticism in The Times, a year ago or more, of the conduct of Judge McKinley, a Judge of the same court that tried the cause, who took sides in open court with the defendants, sitting with their counsel defendants, sitting with their counsel and openly assisting them by his presence and suggestions. His conduct was as bad as his law, and the result perhaps worse than both to him, his cotrustees and their church. They must refund \$26,000, and they are personally liable for it; and their church's right to the beautiful edifice is forfeited by the rebeilion against the presbytery that he advised. Rather a bad muss. "This decision is very important, and well worthy of being widely circulated. No such case-so far-reaching in its effects—has appeared for a long time. The different denominations have been looking very anxiously for the decision, and are greatly rejoicing the decision, and are greatly rejoicing over it. They were all seriously interested in the questions involved, and the decision will be cited everywhere. I am satisfied you will meet the wishes of all denominations by giving it the full publicity of your paper."

In compliance with the request of many interested persons, the text of the decision is given below.

THE DECISION. In the Supreme Court of the State of California, ss. In bank, L.A., No.

146.
N. L. Wheelock, et al., plaintiffs and appellants, vs. the First Presby-terian Church of Los Angeles, a cor-poration, et al., defendants and re-

spondents.

The sufficiency of the complaint is the only question before the court upon this appeal, judgment having been en-tered upon an order sustaining a de-murrer thereto. A condensed recital of the main facts disclosed by the

murrer thereto. A condensed recitat of the main facts disclosed by the pleadings becomes necessary.

The First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles was composed of about eight hundred members, and was incorporated according to the laws of the State. As such corporation it was the owner of certain real estate which sold for the sum of \$50,000, approximately. It was contended that this fund of money should be applied to the purchase of a suitable site and the erection of a church building thereon. When the time approached for the selection of such site, unanimity of opinion was lacking and dissersions arose. A slight majority of the members desired a particular location for the church; a large minority opposed the choice of the majority. The trustees of the corporation, representing the wishes of the majority, purchased a tract of land and proceedd toward the erection of the church. Thereupon the minority by petition placed the facts before the presbytery, a church tribunal having control and supervision of the Presbyterian churches of the city of Los Angeles. By this petition the minority asked the presbyterian Church of Los Angeles as a religious body into two churches, and to make an equitable division of the aforesaid fund of money. In due course and after hearing the respective claims of all parties interested, the presbytery by presolution declared:

"First, that the First Presbyterian Church."

ties interested, the presbytery by resolution declared:
"First, that the First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles be and hereby is divided into two organizations; second, that so many of the members of the First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, whose names appear upon the petition aforesaid, and who may desire, together with as many others as may

ond, that so many of the members of the First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, whose names appear upon the petition aforesaid, and who may desire, together with as many others as may sign this petition, and those who may hereafter unite with them by letter or by confession of their faith, shall constitute a church to be known as the Central Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles; or by any other name which they themselves may hereafter adopt and the presbytery approve. Third, . . . . Fourth, that the residue of the membership of said First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, Cal., shall also constitute a church to be known as the Westminster Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, Cal., or by any other name which they themselves may hereafter adopt, and the Presbytery approve. Fifth, that the pastor of the said First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, the Rev. Burt Estes Howeard, be now and is the pastor, and that the members of session of the said First Presbyterian Church whose names do not appear upon the petition aforesaid, be now and are the session of the Westminster Presbyterian Church. Seventh, that the records of the First Presbyterian Church. The presbytery made a further order that a commission of five members upon due bearing, apportion the aforesaid found. This commission, upon such hearing, found that 369 members had been formed by the decree of the presbyterian Church, and the Teresbyterian Church had been formed into the Westminster Presbyterian Church had been formed into the Westminster Presbyterian Church had been formed into the Westminster Presbyterian Church and here funds between the two new Presbyterian Church recognizing the action of the presbytery, and in accordance with its decree, fully organized as a church the Presbyterian Church, not recognizing but repudiating the action of the presbytery did not organize as contemplated and directed by the presbyterian Church any portion of the money funds in its hands though demand has been made.

This action is brought by N. L. Wheelegk and G. Fi

Church of Los Angeles, to recover such proportion of this fund of money which is claimed to be a trust fund, as the number of members of the Central Presbyterian Church bears to the entire number of members of the First Presbyterian Church. The corporation is made defendant. Certain individuals by name who were made members of the Westminster Presbyterian Church by the action of the presbytery, and who refused to recognize and follow such action, are also made defendants. These parties are made defendants for themselves and in behalf of all other members of the Westminster Presbyterian Church who refuse to recognize and abide by the action of the presbytery. It is further alleged that all of such members have a common and personal interest in the cause of action set forth herein, and that such members are so numerous as to render it impracticable to name them all. The trustees of the corporation are also made parties defendant.

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There are technical objections made to the complaint, to the effect that there exists a lack of proper parties defendant. It is insisted that individual members of the Central Preabyterian Church have no standing to begin litigation, but that its board of irustees is the proper party to inaugurate such proceedings. The Central Presbyterian Church is an incorporated body. While it had a board of trustees is the proper party to inaugurate such proceedings. The Central Presbyterian Church is an incorporated body. While it had a board of trustees, the powers and functions of such board are not set forth in the complaint, and, consequently, we know not what they are. Leaving the question as to the right of the board of trustees to bring this action an open one, the court is still firmly possessed of the opicion that the action is properly inaugurated. The plaintiffs bring the action for the benefit of all the members of the Central Presbyterian Church. In effect, each member is a party plaintiff, and that all the members could jointly bring the action we feel well assured. It is said in Smith vs. Swormstead, 16 How., 28s: "The rule is well established that whenever the parties interested are numerous, and the suit is for an object common to all, some of the body may maintain an action on behalf of themselves and the others, and an action on the maintained against a corporation of a numerous body of defendants representing the common interest." Baker vs. Ducker, 79 Cal., 365, is to the same effect. We find no defect of parties defendant.

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of parties defendant.

This is an action in equity to enforce a trust against hie First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, a corporation, in favor of the Central Presbyterian Church, or the members thereof. It may be conceded, for the purposes of this case, that neither the presbytery nor the commission appointed by it, had the power to divide and apportion the money held by the church corporation. nor the commission appointed by it, had the power to divide and apportion the money held by the church corporation, and that the disposition of those moneys were matters for civil courts, and that ecclesiastical decrees bearing upon such disposition are not binding upon judicial tribunals. But the ecclesiastical court, known as the presbytery, had the power to deal with the First Presbyterian Church in all matters ecclesiastical body, was under the absolute control and dominion of the presbytery, and its decisions and decrees were as binding upon it as the decisions and decrees were so binding upon it as the decisions and decrees of this court are binding upon inferior judicial tribunals. Those decrees are not only binding upon the church as an ecclesiastical body, but they are binding and conclusive upon courts wherever and whenever material to pending litigation. (Gaff vs. Greer, SS Ind., 122.) This presbytery ham the power to dissolve and disband the First Presbyterian Churh, and it exercised that power. The record of its action, as disclosed by the pleading, shows an effectual dissolution of the church known as the First Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles. It was divided into two new and independent organias disclosed by the pleading, shows an effectual dissolution of the church known as the First Pressyterian Church of Los Angeles. It was divided into two new and independent organizations. Even its church records were transferred. As a church nothing was left of it. It is apparent that many members were grieved at such results and deemed the treatment harsh, but all must bow to the law, and an ecclesiastical law equally with civil law, is binding in its own domain. The complaint alleges "that by virtue of such decisions, such form of government, and such book of discipline, each presystery has the power, upon the patition of the minority of the members of a local Presbyterian Church within its territorial jurisdiction, to dissolve and a local Fresbyterian Church within its territorial jurisdiction, to dissolve and divide a church into two church organizations or congregations, . . and that such action is binding upon the church so divided, and the churches so created."

The spiritual or ecclesiastical body being dissolved, what becomes of the money held by the corporation? This question brings before us the consid-eration of the status of the corporation as relating to the church proper. The question of the status of the corporation clivil Code of this State, foreignal section of the church seems of the corporation is only permitted as a convenience to assist in the conduct of the temporation is only permitted as a convenience to assist in the conduct of the temporation is only permitted as a convenience to assist in the conduct of the temporation is only permitted as a convenience to assist in the conduct of the temporation is still all-important. The corporation is still all-important. The corporation is a subordinate factor in the life and purposes of the church fiself. A return of the laws of this State, is some this convenience with the laws of this State, is some the church of the same in accordance with the interest of the spiritual ends of the church. The same is all sill all control the same in accordance with the interest of the spiritual ends of the church. The same is all sill control the same in accordance with the interest of the spiritual ends of the church. The same is all sill control the same in accordance with the interest of the spiritual ends of the church. The same is selected to the use of the church and seven means by granting or allowing such charfers to change the ecclesiastical status of the congressation, but only, to afford them more advantageous civil estatus. The directors or trusts over member of the church affairs. These matters rest purely with the ecclesiastical body. Whatever property stands in its name is selected to the use of the church proper, it is a trustee holding proporation, the title became vested in the trust constant, and every member of the church and every member of the church and every member of the church is a beneficiary of the trust before the presbytery divided the church and in justice and control that decrease is not distinguishable from any other trust over which courts of the church is not one to the court of the court of the church is not one; the court of the church is not one; the court of the church is not one; the court of the church i as relating to the church proper. The Civil Code of this State, (original Sec

lating with these plaintiffs are certainly in no better position as to the trust fund than the plaintiffs. We see little difficulty in equity dealing with this question. Indeed, equity fears no difficulty. The action of the presbytery has rendered any further administration of the trust by the corporation in foot impossible, certainly inadvisable. And a court of equity would deem it for the best interests of all concerned that the trust fund be divided. The property was held in trust for a certain church has been legally divided into two branches. These branches are its two branches. These branches are its tegal successors, and the money should be apportioned according to the numerical strength of each. This was the course adopted in Niccolls vs. Rugg. 47 Ill. 47, the court saying: "The property of this church has been acquired partly under one organization and partly under the other; and, inasmuch as the sole object of a ceurt of chancery in cases of this character is to enforce a trust and hold the trust property to the purposes for one organization and partly under the other; and, inasmuch as the sole object of a ccurt of chancery in cases of this character is to enforce a trust and hold the trust property to the purposes for which it was originally given, no fairer or more equitable mode of doing this can be devised than the one adopted by the Circuit Court."

In Farraiga vs. Vosconsellos, 51 Ill. 53,

character is cenforce a trust and more character is cenforce as trust and more which it was originally given, no fairer or more equitable mode of doing this can be devised than the one adopted by In Farraris ve Veceonachos, 51 III. 51. It is said: 'The congregation were before the agraration the benedicaries universely the property ought, therefore, to be divided between them in the proposed of the property ought, therefore, to be divided between them in the proposed of the property ought, therefore, to be divided between them in the proposed of the property ought, therefore, to be divided between them in the proposed of the property ought, therefore, to be divided between them in the proposed of the property ought, therefore, to be divided between them in the proposed of the property ought, therefore, to be divided between them in the proposed of the property ought, therefore, to be divided between them in the proposed of the property ought, the property of the property ought, therefore, the property ought, the property ought, therefore, the property ought, the property deposition of the Methodist Episcopal Church having thus taken place in pursuance of the property ought, the organization, which is acting in barmony with its own law, 'White Lick Quarterly Meeting of Private and the property of the property ought, the organization of the Methodist of the property devices of the property ought, the organization of the Methodist of the property ought, the organization of the Methodist of the property ought, the organization of the property ought, the property ought, the property ought, the property of the property ought, the property of the property ought, the pro

murrer to the complaint.

In this connection plaintiffs claim that the corporation consists of the trustees of the church alone. Defendants claim that every member of the church is a member of the corporation. But the solution of this contention does

Ve concur:
HARRIS')N, J.,
TEMPLE, J.,
VAN FLEET, J.,
HENSHAW, J.

the discomforts of camp life and the dangers of battle till he was discharged.

Maj. Fitch was a devoted husband and father, two sons and two daughters being the result of his marriage. Fitch's parents were accidentally drowned, leaving two minor children.

Maj. Fitch and his wife adopted these and reared them, in addition to their own. He is survived by his wife, all of his children and one sister.

For eight years after retiring from the army, Maj. Fitch was engaged in business in Kansus. Then he emigrated to California, remained two years in the northern part of the State and in 1876 settled at Santa Monica, removing thence to this city in 1882, where the family has since resided.

Although in ill health, the last three months of his life, his condition was in to considered serious until last Sunday evening, when he complained of feeling quite ill, and retired to his bedroom, where he expired almost instantly. Death was due to heart disease.

## CALIFORNIA INTERESTS. Patents and Postoffices-Pensions to

Californians. ISPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES. WASHINGTON (D. C.,) Jan. 19,-Patents were granted to Ca ventors as follows: Lewis Bowles, San Francisco, pneumatic bicycle brake; Amos Carpenter, Stockton, screw propeller; Frank A. Chapman, san Francisco, pneumatic bicycle
brake; Amos Carpenter, Stockton,
screw propeller; Frank A. Chapman,
to Angeles, prune clipper; James M.
Dyer, San Francisco, wave power;
Clinton J. Paine, National Military
Home, ore concentrator; Clarence
ore concentrator; Clarenc

# LETTER FROM FLORIDA.

All a Settler Needs is an Axe, Pish-hooks and a Box of Matches.

Gen. H. A. Pierce gives to The Times some extracts from a letter written by Capt. T. E. Richards of Eden, Fia., which are of interest to California.

Eden lies on the Indian River, about two hundred and twenty-five miles south of St. Augustine, and is one of the most lovely places in Florida. During the freeze of 1855-6, Eden escaped without any damage; but the freeze of 1894-5 ruined the placeanic sever of 1894-5 ruined the 1 without any damage; but the freeze of 1894-5 ruined the pineapple crop. The late cold spell, however, did only light demage in that part of the State. The region known as "Tropical Florida" begins about thirty miles north of Eden and extends to the "Keys." Within that area, along the Atlantic Coast, tropical fruits such as the pineapple banana, cocoanut, etc., thrive to perfection; but it embraces a very narrow strip, and is given its tropical climate by the influence of the Gulf Stream, which laves this part of Florida..

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strip, and is given its tropical climate by the influence of the Gulf Stream, which laves this part of Florida..

Capt. Richards writes:

"I began raising pineapples in 1880, and made my first shipment in 1882, and was success from the stert, and I have been engaged in the culture of pines ever since. Our shipments last year were 10,000 crates, and will be about 15,000 crates this year. We never had any frost here to do any damage until the winter of 1894-5, when our crop was nearly ruined; but we immediately replanted, and the only damage this year has been a touch of frost, which nipped the extreme ends of the leaves and which will cause the crop to be late in maturing. I am applying fertilizers to force the growth of leaves, and if I succeed the loss will not exceed 5 per cent. of the crop. Our principal damage will be in not getting the pines to market until they come in competition with other fruits in the North. Our coconnut trees show no signs of frost, and tomatoes, planted between pineapple beds, now 18 inches high, are uninjured. So you see how hadly we have been hurt this winter.

"Our country is developing finely. When I settled here in 1880 my nearest neighbors were fifteen miles on one side and twenty-nine miles on the other. Now the whole line of Indian River is settled—neighbors are close at hand. A railroad runs from Jacksonville to Lake Worth, and we have a station here.

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"This is the best, and the eastlest country to make a living in, I ever saw. If one lands here with an axe, fish hooks and lines and a box of matches, he can always have enough to eat. Of course he would want an oyster knife, if he wanted to enjoy the best cysters on earth that cover the bottom of the Indian River, by the millions, and our cabbage palm will keep him in vegetables.

"I have been surprised at the wonderful progress California has made in the orange and lemon culture, and the disasters to our Florida crop will leave you masters of the field."

# CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Asked to Exhibit at the Inter-national Health Exposition. The Chamber of Commerce has been sked to place an exhibit in the International Health Exposition to be held in New York City April 25 to May 31 of this year, in the Grand Central Pal-

Secretary Wiggins thinks this is an apportunity that California should not opportunity that California should not let pass by; that a California exhibit in New York would do much toward creating a demand for our products. The Grand Central Palace will be viscreating a demand for our products. The Grand Central Palace will be visited by thousands of people who would see and admire such an exhibit. The benefit to be derived from making these exhibits was plainly demonstrated at the Atlanta Exposition. One firm in Atlanta that had never handled California fruits was induced to do so by seeing the exhibit. Last year that firm handled twenty-eight carloads of oranges, and this year is booked for thirty-eight carloads. It has also disposed of several carloads of walnuts.

The chamber yesterday received five cases of oranges from A. P. Griffith of Azusa, and one case of tangerines from James Slauson of the same place. The Chamber of Commerce at Fullerton sent in a case of oranges, and a box of printed matter.

Gulick brothers of Riverside made a display in the hall of seedless grape fruit.

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fruit.
P. D. Cover of the same place sends in an exhibit of Washington navel oranges.
N. C. Peck and G. W. Goodrich of Glendale each send in an exhibit of strawberries to show what they can do in that line.
Three cases containing various exhibits for the Golden Jubilee Fair were shipped to San Francisco yesterday by the chamber.
At the election held yesterday at the

the chamber.

At the election held yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce for the purpose of electing five members of the Stockholders' Committee to act as directors for the ensuing year, the following persons were unanimously elected: M. J. Newmark, I. N. Van Nuys, James H. Adams, Louis F. Vetter, L. A. Groff.

# PERKINS ACQUITTED.

The Accused Janitor Did not Steal the Towel Rack.
Jefferson Perkins, a colored man who

has been employed as a janitor in va-rious buildings in the city and who has always had a good reputation for honalways had a good reputation for honesty, was tried by a jury of six men in
Justice Owens's court yesterday afternoon for petty larceny. He was accused of the theft of a tower rack belonging to the City Towel Supply Company. The rack mysteriously disappeared from a vacated house, and was
found soon afterward in a second-hand
store, where it had been disposed of by
Perkins. The defendant did not deny
that he sold the property to the secondhand man, but he stoutly maintained
that he bought it of another negro or
the street, not knowing it had been
stolen. Perkins was unable to produce
this negro, and let him do the explaining as to how the towel rack got away
from its moorings, but the jury speedily acquitted him, after hearing testimony from a number of reputable citizens as to Perkins's good character. esty, was tried by a jury of six men in

# BUSINESS.

## FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
LOS ANGELES, Jan. 25, 1898.
A STRONG EANK. The National
Shoe and Leather Bank of New York
City, which lost its entire surplus of
\$250,006, and \$104,000 in addition, by the
defalcation of its book-keeper, Samuel
C. Seely, in 1894, anounces that In
April, 1898, the payment of quarterly
dividends of 4 per cent, will be resumed. In the last two years the
bank's deposits have grown \$2,063,887,
and there is now a surplus of \$100,000
and undivided profits of \$54,155. OFFICE OF THE TIMES,

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INTERESTING SUGAR STATISTICS. There is no fear of overproduction in American beet sugar—at
least, not for a number of years to
come. A. W. Jones of Los Almitos
sends The Times the following graphic
and interesting statistics, showing the
steady increase in the American comption of sugar, and the large num-of factories that will be required produce the sugar which is now im-ted from abroad. It is a striking ported from abroad. It is a striking fact, which shows the room for growth in this direction, that the beet-sugar factories now operated in the United States could not supply even one-third of the annual growth in American

Bugar consumption:
"According to the Statistical Trade Journal, the increase in consumption of sugar in the United States for the past year was 6.91 per cent., requiring to supply it 136,177 long tons of sugar or over 255,000,000 pounds. Below are

Total consumption in 1897.....2,096,263 Total consumption in 1896.....1,960,086

This is not unusual for the averaged acrease of consumption in the United tates for the past sixteen years has een 6.94 per cent. per annum. Acording to the same authority, the rorid's estimated increase in manuacture of sugar in 1897 was only 64,-77 tons.

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"There were in operation the past year nine beet-sugar factories in this country. It would require three and three-fifths times the capacity of these nine factories to supply sufficient sugar for the increase alone, or thirty-two factories of same average capacity.

"If we wish at same time to provide for present consumption it would be necessary to build fifty-five times as many factories as are now in operation, or 495 factories of the average capacity of the nine we now have.

"Now, then, if we were to build new factories at the rate of fifty a year it would take about ten years to catch up on present consumption of sugar, so that to supply this country with sugar the total number of factories required to be built each year would be fifty, plus thirty-two, or eighty-two, As meantime, increase of consumption would: likely continue in about the same ratio, the number eight-two should be increased 5 per cent., to provide for that, so that we have a grand total of eight-six factories to be built annually for ten years before this nation can grasp the ofter-quoted \$100,000,000 we are spending every twelve months for sugar."

CALIFORNIA APPLES FOR THE EAST. It is stated that at least fit-teen carloads of California Bellflower apples have been sold in Cincinnati this season, and the quality of the fruit is said to have been a revelation to the trade. Before many years apples grown in the mountain regions of Southern California will be as cele-brated throughout the East as the

TRADE STAMPS AGAIN. The trade-stamp fake, which was promptly and effectually sat down upon by the business men of Los Angeles, appears to have gained a foothold in San Fran-The California Fruit Grower recently had the following sensible re-marks on this and other schemes of "To the retail merchant offering the

the kind:

"To the retail merchant offering the stamps the plan simply means an indirect tax on his gross sales, and the small margin of profit in almost all lines does not admit of this unless he lowers the standard of his goods or raises the price. One thing is certain; people do not nowadays give away something for nothing—that much is absolutely certain. Years ago a cigarette manufacturer bit upon the scheme of packing in each box a photograph of a stage beauty. It increased his sales temporarily. The plan was adopted by a second manufacturer, then by a third and a fourth. When eventually every manufacturer was doing it, each was on the eame trade footing as before and the plan ceased to be an advantage to any one of them. At this stage of development they got together, decided that the continuing of the scheme was an unnecessary expense and—abolished it.

"Later, newspaper publishers adopted as the state of the scheme and and the stimular plan giving away hocks."

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"Later, newspaper publishers adopted a similar plan, giving away books as premiums. The first few publishers profited by it. When all or nearly all were following suit the plan ceased to pay a profit and it was abandoned. The first European government to give a bounty on beet-sugar production found it paid to do so. But the plan has been adopted by other governments and it pays no longer and only last week Austria and Germany intimated their willingness to attend the proposed conference at Brussels to discuss the abolition of sugar bounties. France is also showing an inclination to join.

its course—like a case of measles, dealer who does not adopt the will give better goods, or he will at cheaper prices (by means of a discount or otherwise,) or he himwill offer a premium independent trading-stamp company. When of a trading-etamp company. Whe all are on a basis adapted severally the innovation, all will find themselves they were before, no one of their

may soon look for larger importations of "pure olive oil," from Europe American cotton-seed oil importations creased during the past two years, ac-cording to a report recently received from Acting Consul Pressiy. He adds that French oil manufacturers have protested but that no action concern-ing the matter has as yet been taken

#### GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

SAN QUENTIN BAGS. The development as to the influences at work in making the State bag factory at San making the State ong tactory at San Quentin a factor in regulating the price of bags on this Coast is attracting unusual interest. The intent of the establishment of the business at San Quentin was that the convicts might be employed in that particular occupation where the least number of outside workers would be affected, and that the convicts should be employed at some useful occupation and contribute to their own support. Incidentally, it was intended to supply the farmers of the State at a cheap rate, with as many grain bags as the institution could turn out. As to the commercial bearing of this there is at present nothing to say, although it is hardly within the province of the government to cheapen articles in the public market. The Commercial Herald of San Francisco gives the following brief outline of the situation:

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"In connection with this State esthat end h is stated that prices were advanced from \$4.75 per hundred to \$5.40, the middlemen making a greater part of the difference and the farmer suffering in a corresponding degree. It is absolutely certain that the advance has been made and that middlemen have profited by it. It also looks as though the law was violated. Incidentally the sum of \$150,000 has been added to the assets of the State by the operation.

"There appears to be little doubt about the facts, although the conclusions drawn may not be warranted. As we have a law of this kind, the farmers should get the full benefit of it, as the law intended that they should."

### LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

### EGGS, BUTTER AND CHEESE,

Eggs have firmed up so that some dealers will ask 24 cents today. Sales yesterday were made at 22@23. The unusual firmness of the market may be well judged by the fact that a consignment of seventy-five cases was re-ceived yesterday from San Francisco. It is very seldom that the market is so much higher here than there that dealers in the higher here than there that dealers in the Bay City try to unload surplus stock here. The reverse is generally the case. The San Francisco market has firmed up, though, since the consignment was made, so that it is not probable that any more will follow in the near

probable that any more will follow in the following future.

Butter is improving right along. Prices had got so low that consignments went to San Francisco, where quotations ruled relatively higher. In order to attract butter from the up-coast counties in any considerable quantities, it will be necessary to elevate prices a little over the quotations that have ruled for the last ten days. Only eight cases were received yesterday from the North, being all that Monday's steamer brought. Saturday's steamer brought cases, that being the total of the Monday delivery, as stated in these columns yesterday. Wednosday's steamer will probably bring but a small quantities. in these columns yesterday. Wednesda steamer will probably bring but a small qu tity, if any. Inside quotations are raised point for fancy rolls, except light-weights, which there is a plethora; these are a tr weaker. Prime tub butter is a scarce art cle at present, but is manufactured on demand by mashing down rolls.

Cheese is firm at last quotations

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cest full-cream, 10: Coast full-cream, 124; Anchor, 124; Downey, 124; Young America, 134; Anchor, 124; Anuel, 144; Comestic Swiss, 156,17: imported Swiss, 20073; Edam, fancy, per doz., 10.00210.50.

Potatoes continue to grow in firmness, if anything. The market is fairly well supplied with tubers of all seasonable varieties. Sweets are a little higher. On one hold their own and vegetables generally are firm.

POTATOES—Per cwt., Highland Burbanks, 85@1.00; Hemet, 1.15; Salinas, 1.10@1.20; common, 65@89.

SWEET POTATOES—Per cental, 1.00@1.20.
ONIONS—Per cwt, 2.75@3.00
VEGETABLES—Beets, per 100 lbs., 85; cabbage, 75; carrots, 75; parsnips, 1.00; turnips,
85; Hubbard squasb, 85; tomatoes, 1.00@1.25;
cauliflower, per doz., 50@65; celery, 45@6;
lettuce, 15@20; spinach, 20; parsley 25; radisbes, 20; leeks, 20; dry chiles, 65@75 per
string; evaporated peppers, 14@15 per ib.;
green peppers, 15 per lb.; garlic, 3½@4; green
peas, 7; string beans, 8@2.

No change since last report.

APPLES-Fer box, fancy belleflowers, 1.25; fancy reds, 1.006.1.15; choice reds, 86390; other varieties, fancy, 906.1.00; chuice, 75490; common grads, 8554; PEARS-Per box, Winter Nellis, 1.5041.75.

STRAWBERURES-Per box, common, 14616; fancy, 174420.

PERSIMMONS—Per box, 1.00.
GUANAS—Per bb., 4817.
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Dinkapples—Per dox, 5.8098.60.
LEMONS—Per box, cured, 1.7592.00; uncured, 1.0091.25.
GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 4.50.
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DRIED FRUITS, NUTS, RAISINS.

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1.70; loose, 466 per lb.; seedless Sultanas, 7 (%).
NUTS — Walnuts, paper-shells, 7(%); fancy softshells, 6627; hardshells, 465; almonds, softshell, 85:10; paper-shell, 96:11; hardshell, 6627; pecans, 96:11; filberts, 12; Brazils, 126:124; pinones, 106:11; peanuts, eastern, raw, 667; roasted, 56:84; California, raw, 365; roasted, 64:67.

POULTRY AND GAME, Demand good; stocks well cleaned up. Good

prices for prime fowls.

POULTRY-Per doz., good heavy hens, 4.50
64.75; light to medium, 3.75@4.00; young
roosters, 4.00@4.50; old roosters, heavy, 4.50;
brollers, 3.00@4.00; ducks, 5.00@6.00; turkeys,
live, 12@13 per lb.; dressed, 15@16.
GAME-Per doz., quall, 1.00@1.10; ducks,
widgeon, 1.25@1.50; teal, 1.25@1.50; sprig, 2.50
62.00; mallard, 4.00@4.50; canvas backs, 5.00
65.00; mallard, 1.00; plover, 75@1.00; doves,
50@75; cottontalls, 1.00.

GRAIN AND MAY.

An advance of 5 cents per cental is chron-icled in grain all around. Hay is also very toled in grain an around. This is also to firm.

WHEAT—Per cental, 1.300 for j. b lots.

BARLEY—Per cental, 800 for j. b lots.

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CORN — Per cental, 1.300 for shipping; millers' quotations, 90.

CORN — Per cental, large yellow, \$5,290; small yellow, \$90,205; white, nominal; milers' quotations, small yellow, 1.05; large yellow, 100,000 for the period of th

.00.

HAY — Per ton, alfalfa, 10.00@11.00; barley, .00@11.00; oat, 10.00@11.00; wheat, 10.00@11.00.

STRAW—Per ton, 5.00@4.00. FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS.

FLOUR AND FEEDSTUFFS.
Rolled barley, cracked corn and feed meal share the general advance in grain.
FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 4.80; northern 5.65; eastern, 5.7656.60; graham feeds of the feed of the feed

Beans, especially pinks, are firm and in good demand.

BEANS-Per 100 lbs., amall white, 1.80@1.90;
Lady Washington, 1.75@1.85; pinks, 2.35@2.50;
Lima, 2.00@2.25. PROVISIONS.

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Stendy at last quotations.

HAMS — Per lb., Rex brand, 9%; selected mild cure, 8%; picnic, 5%; boncless, 9.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 10; fancy wrapped, 12; plain wrapped, 11½; light medium, 9½; medium, 9½; medium, 9.

DRY SALT PORK — Per lb., clear bellies, 7%; short clears, 7; clear backs, 6%.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 14%; outsides, 14%;

sides, 10.
PICKLED BEEF - Per bbl., 12.00; rump butts, 12.50.
PICKLED PORK - Per bbl., Sunderland, 14.00.

LARD—Per-lb., in tierces, Rex. pure leaf, 6%; lvory compound, 5%; Rexolene, 5%; special kettle-rendered leaf lard, 7; Orangs brand, 50s, 6%; 10s, 7%; 5s, 7%; 5s, 7%.

FRESH MEATS.

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Firm; quotations unchanged.

BEEF-64,66%.
VEAL-768.

MUTTON-666%; lambs, 7½.

PORK-55/26.

SAUSAGE-Per lb., bologna, 6; blood, 5; iverwurst, 5; freah pork sausage, 7; wiener, ; frankfurter, 7. LIVE STOCK.

Generally firm. Generally firm.

HOGS-3%64 per lb. for prime porkers.

CATTLE-3%63% for prime steers; 2%63 or prime cows and heifers.

SHEEP-Wethers, 2.5663.75 per head; ewes, .5063.60: lambs, 2.0062.50.

HIDES, WOOL AND TALLOW. Hides quiet; nothing doing in wool.

HIDES—Dry, as they run, 12½ per lb.; kip,
; calf, 15½; bulls, 7.
WOOL—Nomina:.
TALLOW-Per lb., 2@2½.

HONEY AND BEESWAX. Demand quiet; prices steady. HONEY-Per lb., comb, in frames, 7@10; trained, 4@5%. BEESWAX-Per lb., 20@25.

NEW YORK MARKETS. Shares and Money.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The timidity manifested by dealers in stocks yesterday because the warship Maine had been ordered out was fully equaled by the confidence with white traders bought back their stocks today where the stock is day where the stock is day with the ship had arrived in Havana. The ment on table feature of the day's trading was in the large volume of transactions for London account. The number of shares bought in New York for London was estimated at from \$0.000 to 40.000 shares. Even with this large demand to be filled, prices were not 1 feed at the opening fully to the London parity. The sharp decline seemed to have awaken da demand in London for Americans, and early

for the standard stocks. Yesterday's losses on the average have been more than recovered. New York Central was the most c.n. spicuous in the dealings, with its net gain of over three points, and the stocks of alled properties shared in the strength to a somewhat less extent. Union Pacific, the Northern Pacific, and the other-properties which go to make up the Klondike group were all conspicuous for strength, and the Grangers and Southwesterns may be added to the list. The local transit and gas stock moved in a somewhat create manner under paljable manipulations, all showing gains except Third avenue, which reacted sharply. The bond market showed increased activity and strength as the gay progressed, and showed gains as a rule. Total sales, 33,509,600. Old fours regular were 4 higher.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

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Bond List.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The Evening Post's Lendon financial cablegram says: "The stock market here was idle, hyrine's being cleaked by the political news and settlement. Money rates at the settlement were about as before. Centangees on Americans were 4 to 4½ per cent. The general tone was steady. Gland Trunk and Canadian Pacific had the best market. In Americans New York Centrals were especially strong. Lendon opened above New York and the close was firm on New York support. Argentine government streight strong. Strength of the control of the co London Financial Market.

Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—Tode, satatement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$240,112,490; gold reserve, 3163,483,566.

Boston Stock Market. BOSTON, Jan. 25.—Atchison, 12%; Bell Telephone, 287; Burlington, 95%; Mexican Central, 5%; Oregon Short Line, 2314.

London Silver. LONDON, Jan. 25.—Consols, 1.12%; silver,

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

Grain and Produce.

demand to be filled, prices were not I fed at the opening fully to the London parity. The sharp decline seemed to have awaken da demand in London for Americans, and early quotations from there showed yesterday's declines here were largely recovered. The strength of the Spanish fours in London as on indicated the absence of apprehension of an embroilment between the Un'ted States and Spain. London gave the tene to the day's deskness was due both to foreign and domestic news. The Liverpool cables were but Spain. London gave the tene to the day's dipler at the opening, and his slight advance was soon lost. There was no confirmatic ficiently heavy to have a market deflect on the exchange market, the actual rates declining is with the demand for hills very light. London gave very pacific. Heavy snows were reported all over the winter-wheat country. Minneaded it is talk is given additional force by the shewing of merchands except from New York for the week, which were over \$1.700,000 and this talk is given additional force by the shewing of merchands except from New York for the week, which were over \$1.700,000 and this talk is given additional force by the shewing of merchands except from New York for the week, which were over \$1.700,000 and this talk is given additional force by the shewing of merchands se exports from New York for the week, which were over \$1.700,000 and the properties of the provision of the prov [ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

Closing. 971/4 . 937/4 . 847/4

Grain Movements. | Receip s Shipments. | Receip s Shipments | 12,000 | 9,000 | Wheat, bushels | 2°,000 | 6,000 | Cora, | 235,000 | 18,000 | Rye, | 3000 | 18,000 | Rye, | 9,000 | 8,000 | Rye, | 9,000 | 21,000 | Rye, | 10,000 | Rye, | 10,000

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Cattle—The bulk of the best steers sold at 4.35@5.25 and common lots best steers sold at 4.55@5.25 and common lots 4.00@4.25. Some high-class stock brought 5.00@5.40; fed Texans sold at 4.00@4.40, and branded westerns sold at similar range with some lots at 4.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, 2.30@4.50; canners sold 2.25@2.55; calves, 7.00. Hors-Sales were at an extreme range of 3.65 @3.90; chiefly at 3.75@3.82, the best brgs bringing the top price of the present packing season, and big sales were largely at 3.50@ 3.75. Sheep-Sales were at 3.00@3.50 for inferior to common, up to 4.60 for choice ficks. Fed westerns sold chiefly at 4.00@4.50; year-lings were in good demend at 4.50° 5.00; three was a good trade in lambs at 4.25@5.80; the bulk fetching 5.00 and upward; west ras sold up to 5.80; the best tambs being fe hi her then yesterday Receipts-Cattle, 3500; hogs, 25.000; sheep, 15.000.

Boston Wool Market.

Boston Weol Market.

BOSTON, Jan. 25.—The demand in the wool market has been good this week, and the market has been good this week, and the market has been growed the week, and the market has been growed the week, and the of the wool continues to be confined to Territory graeds. The range for fine medium and fine on the secured hasis was at 5 cents, although many lots are held above the figure. The market for fleece wools has shown a little more demand this week, with prices firm Australian wools are in rood demand at rul ne prices. Outstions: Territory wools, Montona fine medium and fine, 16418; secured, 43745; stable, 52455; Utah, Wyoming, etc., fine medium and fine, 15417; secured, 482f0; stable, 52455. Australian wools, scoured basis, coupling, superfine, 70479; combing, so d, 63, 3485; average, 52465; Queensland, combing, 65.

Available Supplies.

New YORK, Jan. 25.— Cable and telegraph dispatches to Bradstreet's, covering the or'heinal points of accumulation, indicate the following chronges in available surples, as compared with the preceding Saturday: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Reckies, decrease 531,000 hushels; affect for and in Europe, decrease 200,000; world's supply total decrease, 731,000 hushels. Corn. United States and Canada, east of the Reckies, increase 563,000 hushels. Oats. United States and Canada, east of the Reckies, increase 53,000 hushels.

Kansas City Live-stock Market. Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 25.—Cattle-Receipts, official 18.400, including 200 southern cattle; cross and beffers, active and steady; mediums 100 lower; thin stockers and feeders steady; Texas and Indian steers, 3.50%3.85; Texas and western cows. 2.50%3.85; active cows and heifers, 2.00%4.15; western steers. 3.00%4.09; stockers and feeders, 2.75%4.90. Sheep—Receipts 22.0; the market was active, muttons, 2.75%2.3; yestern lambs up to 5.40; native lambs, 5.00 ff5.60.

California Dried Fruits.

California Dried Fruits. NEW YORK. Jan. 25—California dried fruits firm; evaporated apples, common. 50 74; wire tray, prime, 8½; wood dried, prime, 8½; choice, 8½; fancy, 979½; wound, 507½; se to size and quality; apricots, Royal, 507½; Moornark, 9011; peaches, unpeeled, 7010; peeled, 12620.

ehe don't take me, why, then the devil may, that's all; and next time you asked me to join the gang I says, 'Bill, I'm with you.'" He had raised his head on one hand for a moment, but it dropped languidly back on the dark pillow.

"Bill," came the voice again," where's my ring?"
"Here, Jack," and Bill touched the finger gently.

"But, Jz Jack, you"—Bill was strug-gling with his tears. The moon was still high in the beav-ens, and the bandit's hope was almost

"And, Bill," Jack went on, "you hain't written to mother in mor'n a year, have you? Well, old boy, don't tell her about me, and if ever you go back—back—home, you can say you lowed my horse threw me and—."
"Bill," came faintly after another pause, "you don't think I'll last long, do you?"
"Oh, Jack, don't say that. Brace up, boy," he pleaded.
"Bill, come closer. Has Dick come

"Bill, come closer. Has Dick come "No. Jack."

"No, Jack."
"And you han't got a drop of water?"
"No, my boy, nary a drop."
"Well, Bill. I tried my level best—to stand by you—and I hope you'll pull through—all right. And when you can make it, Bill—quit this, and—is that he moon—so bright all 'round?"
"Yes, Jack."

"Yes, Jack."
"I never see it so before—Bill. It'll light up the trail for Dick—and me. Tell him—as how—I couldn't wait."

were confined to a few boxes of tomato PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—Flour—Net cash for family extras, 4.56(24.65; bakers' extras, 4.36(24.64). Wheat—Shipping, 1.40 for No. 1 and 1.41½ for choice; milling. 1.42½(21.47½.

Barley—Feed, 36(21.00 for good to choice; fancy, 1.02½(21.05; brewing, 1.05(21.17½.

Oats — Foor to lair, 1.10½(1.12½; good to choice, 1.50(1.17½; aney feed, 1.20(21.35; gray, 1.12½(21.17½; milling, 1.12½(21.15; Surprise, 1.25(21.35; black for seed, 1.36(1.85); red, 1.35(21.45).

Hay — Wheat, 15.00(217.00; wheat and oat, 1.25@1.35; black for seed, 1.35@1.50; red, 1.35 Hay — Wheat, 15.00@14.50; wheat and oat, H.35@15.00; oat, 13.00@14.50; best barley, 13.00 @15.00; alfalfa, 19.50@11.50; clover, 11.00@12.00; stock, 10.50@11.50; compressed wheat, 15.00@ 16.50; straw, per bale, 30@45. M.ddlings-22.00@24.50 p.r ton. Beans — Pink, 2.00; L.ma, 1.70@1.75; small white, 1.30@1.40; large white, 1.20@1.35. Potatocs — Earley Rose, 65@70; r.ver Bur-banks, 60@70; river reda, 45@55; Salioas, 75@ 1.00; Merced sweet, 75; Oregon Burbanks, 75 @90.

Potatocs — Earley R. s., 682/0; Fver Burshanks, 60(70; river reds. 486/5; Salinas, 756/1.00; Merced sweet, 75; Oregon Burbanks, 75 (90.

Vegetables—Onions, 2.60(2.75; garile, 3 per lb.; green peas, 607; string benns, 12%; tomatoes, 50(1.25; green pepper, 156/25; summer squash, 850(1.25; super, 156/25); oranges, navels, 1.25 (2.50); Mexican limes, repack, 5.00; common California lemons, 756/1.25; fancy california lemons, 150/62.50; benanas, 1.256/2.50 bunch; pineapples, 2.00(2.40) doz.

Butter — Fancy creamery, 256/26; seconds, 234/624; fancy dairy, 23; seconds, 20(22.

Cheuse — New, 116/114; old, 10/611; California eream cheddar, 10/611; Young America, 114/6/1249; eastern, 126/13.

Eggs—Store, 186/20; fancy ranch, 20(22.

Poultry — Turkey gobblers, 3/50/4.00; young precus, 1.60(2.50; zmell broilers, 3.00/3 50; large, 5/60/4.60; old ducks, 4.00(5.60; young brecus, 1.250/1.50; old pigeons, 1.00; young pigeous, 1.250/1.50; old pigeons, 1.50; young pigeous, 1.56/1.75.

San Francisco Mining Stocks, today floring stocks today

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:
Alta 12 Kentuck Con 4
Alpha 20 7 Mexican 24
Andres 14 Occidental Con 155
Beleber 25 Onbir Con 156 Chailenge ton
Choilen 24
Confidence 79
Con Cal. & Va. 115
Con. Imperial 25
Grad Huperial 25
Grad & Curry 21
Hale & Nor. 33)

Los Angeles Mining Stock Market [Quotations by Mining and Stock Brechange.] LOS ANGELES, Jan. 25, 1898. Name of stock— B'd. Sales. East Amargosa ... \$ .50 3.000 at \$.75 50,000 at .50

San Francisco Receipts. San Francisco Receipts.

San Francisco, Jan. 25.—Flour, quarte sacks, 8776; Oregon, 15 349; wheat, centals 43.271; Oregon, 2930; barley, centals, 12,640 Oregon, 4090; oats, centals, 690; Oregon, 2545 brans, sacks, 6514; corn, centals, 4275; ryc centals, 1120; potatoes, sacks, 2825; Oregon 4405; onions, sacks, 6; Oregon, 1191; bran sacks, 1282; Oregon, 2716; middlings, sacks 598; Oregon, 769; hay, tons, 714; hops, balet 113; flaxsecd, sacks 125; Oregon, 1090; bolet 113; flaxsecd, sacks 125; Oregon, 1090; bolet 13; flaxsecd, sacks 125; Oregon, 1090; collabels, 6; bides, number, 920; quicksilver flasks, 50; wine, gallons, 86,550.

Callboard Sales. Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Wheat steady January, 1.31½; May, 1.40½; barley firm; May 93½; corn, large yellow, 1.00@1.02½; bran, 19.56@20.50 per ton.

Drafts and Silver. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 25.—Silver bars 5%: Mexican dollars, 47@47½; drafts—sight 0; drafts, telegraph, 22½.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

(Figures in parentheses, unless otherwise stated, give volume and page of miscellaneous records and recorded maps.)

The following is a list of the transfers filed yesterday, involving amounts of over \$1000:

F E Johnson to Victor E Keppel, a portion of lot 31 in J B Packard's Orange Grove tract, consideration \$2000.

G O Kirk to W H Pierce, 20 acres in lot 48 of the Lankershim ranch tract, consideration \$2000.

H K Macomber to August Truman, property in Pasadena, consideration \$5500.

O. M. Skillen to George W Dugger, property in Pasadena, consideration \$2500.

Joseph B Moore to Clara R Arnold, property in Pomona, consideration \$2500.

Sylvia Foster to Frank M Walker, a portion of the Rancho la Puente, consideration \$35,000.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA COURSING

PARK.

Entries now open for thirty-two-dog stake,
Sunday, January 30, 1898. Nominations received by C. B. Coykendall, at The Mineral, No. 102 East First street.

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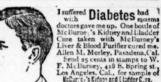
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SHORT STORY OF THE DAY.

THE BANDIT'S BROTHER.

[PUBLISHED IN THE TIMES BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT.]

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POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

FRESH FRUITS AND BERRIES.

head. Bill had seen him fall.

The moon climbed slowly up the eastern sky and looked down through the pines. It saw Bill, his tall figure bowed under a droeping hat, his spurs glistening in the pale light, and Jack, lying so still among the leaves and shadows. Finally the boy stirred again.

"Bill, why didn't you camp near a water hole? Dick's a powerful long time packing that water up here."

Bill's heart sank.

"Yes, Lock Lack, Lack

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stand guard,' but the voice died away and the head sank lower on the old coat which pillowed it.

But Dick was dead, shot through the head. Bill had seen him fall.

The moon climbed slowly up the eastern sky and looked down through the pines. It saw Bill, his tall figure bowed under a droeping hat, his spurs glistening in the pale light, and Jack, lying so still among the leaves and shadows. Finally the boy stirred again.

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"Well, Bill, I was a-thinking since of what them women said—them ladies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and its in the states. And when they real they in the states. And when they real they in ell-night dances and drinking and shadows. Finally the boy stirred again.

"Yes, Jack."

"Well, Bill, I was a-thinking since of what them women said—them ladies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and the states. And when they real they couldn't let us come because they didn't believe in ell-night dances and drinking and such, it struck home more'n said—them ladies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and dies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and states. And when they real they carpet and such, it struck home more'n said—them ladies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and dies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and dies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and less, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and dies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and states. And when they real them of the states. And when they real them of the states. And when they real dies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and dies, properly speaking. It made me homesick to see their carpets and states. And when they said they states. And when they said they states. And when they s

"Well, Bill, and all the while I was doing a powerful lot of thinking, and wondering why it wasn't better living in a place like that than running 'round the country and nowheres to stay. Then one of the ladies says to me, 'Mr. White, where's your home?'"

"I haven't none, madam,' says I.

"But where do you live?'

"Oh, says I. 'anywhere I hang up. "'Oh,' says I, 'anywhere I hang up my sombrero. That's about all the home some of us cowboys has.' "Then she looked kind of pitying like.
And we had the dance at Rankin's.
That's where I see Hazel for the last
time. You never see her Bill?"
"No. Jack, but hadn't ye better rest
now till the water comes?"
"Yee Bill when I tell you about

"Yee, Bill, when I tell you about Hazel," and thinking of her seemed to lend him strength. lend him strength.

"You wasn't there. No, Bill, I remember like it was yesterday, hew you said you'd get to study out that bank business, and I could join you or not just as I liked. Them ain't your words; you talked kinder rough, and said if I gave you away you'd fix me. And, Hazel, well before the evening was over I asked her if she'd have me, and she said she 'lowed she was promised to Jim Rankin, and Jim set a-watching us so fierce like. And after that I didn't care a bit what become of me. Says I to myself' all the evening, 'if Hazel takes me I'm a good straight cow puncher from this on; if

"Well, Bill, tell the other fellows, if I never see them again, that I died

"And, Bill," Jack went on,

And the flickering life went out.

EATTIE ADELLE LUSK.

[The End.]

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### PASADENA.

THE CITY TRUSTEES FINISH UP

Arrangements Benig Made for the Charity Ball-Mrs. Van Nuys Run Over by a Street Sprinkler-A Over by a Street Sprinkler. Suicide Near Lamanda Park.

PASADENA, Jan. 25.—[Regular Correspondence.] The City Trustees, who adjourned yesterday on account of its being a legal holiday, met this afternoon. President Hartwell was in the chair, and Trustees Hamilton, Reynolds and Washburn were present, as was also City Attorney Arthur.

Action upon the East Side sewer petitions was deferred two weeks.

A resolution of intention to open Center street from South Madison avenue to South Lake avenue, which wa read at the last meeting, was this afternoon read a second time and passed. An assessment district will at once be laid out and as soon as the pre-

liminaries shall be completed the street will be cut through.

The ordinance creating the office of fire marshal was passed on motion of Trustee Hamilton, and the Council was empowered to appoint not exceeding six assistant fire marshals to serve at fires, without pay.

The ordinance regulating the size of signs hanging over the street, and ordering all signs not conforming to the stated size removed by February 1, was, on motion of Trustee Reynolds, changed to read March 1.

The report of City Clerk Dyer, that he had credited the Tax Collector with the amount of the delinquent taxes, was received and

oved.

de petiliton of George E. Hutchins to ea six-room house from lot 9 of the ler subdivision to the Glendale tract on the Fair Oaks avenue, was granted.

Trustees then discussed the new priyeigction law, and as one of the membad forgotten to bring in his list of en electors, the meeting was adjourned thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

THE CHARITY BALL.

THE CHARITY BALL.

The Charity Ball that is to be held in the Auditorium Thursday evening, February 3, is now occupying the attention of many of the leading society ladies. The patronnesses are Mmes. H. L. Story, C. P. Morehouse, W. S. Wrishl, C. D. Dagsett, C. B. Scoville, E. R. Hull, James McBride, Norman Bridge, C. W. Erown, E. F. Hurlburt, Mary A. Dreer, G. W. Simpson, G. G. Green and A. F. Halsted. The committee will meet tomorrow and complete the arrangements already entered into, and will do everything to make this the leading social event of the season in Pasadena.

As Mrs. W. N. Van Nuys was riding a bi-cycle on East Colorado street, near Euclid avenue, this morning, she was struck by the horses attached to a street sprinkler and thrown under their feet. Fortunately she was not trampled upon, but one of the wheels of the sprinkler passed over the calf of one of her legs, badly bruising it, but not breaking any of the bones.

AXTELL DAGGETT DEAD. AXTELL DAGGETT DEAD.

Axtell Daggett, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Daggett, died this forenoon at the home of his parents on Ramona street. On Saturday last he was apparently in the best of health, but in the evening complained of feeling sick. A physician was called and pronounced it scarlet fever. Owing to the nature of the disease, the interment at 3 o'clock this afternoon in Mountain View Cemetery was necessarily private.

TWILIGHT CLUB LADIES' NIGHT. This was ladies' night at the Twilight Club id the members and friends to the number sixty enjoyed the beautiful acenery from the Mountain during the first the control of or sixty enjoyed the beautiful accency from Echo Mountain during the afternoon and in the evening the beauties of the heavens were examined through the great 'telescope. The dinner was an excellent one and was followed by remarks by Prof. C. C. Bragdon on the proposed "Women's College for Pasadena," a very interesting talk by Prof. Swift on "Mars," a good story by Secretary H. H. Klamroth, and an appeal by Prof. Bragdon to keep, if possible, the large telescope on Echo Mountain.

Y.M.C.A. BICYCLE CLUB. At a meeting of the Young Men's Christian association Bicycle Club of Pasadena, this evening, the following officers were elected: President, A. I. Gammon; vice-president, A. A. Cochran; secretary and treasurer, M. M. Baker; captain, W. L. Green, and lieutenant, Newton Woodwille. The club voted to accept the invitation of the Better Roads Society to participate in the parade and will wear the same suits used in the Tournament of Roses parade.

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LATE HOTEL ARRIVALS. LATE HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Hotel Green—Mrs. F. W. French, New York; R. G. Reid, Jr., and wife, Montreal; F. C. Miller, wife and child, Grand Rapids, Mich.; H. B. Enerest, Miss E. Enerest, Rochester, N. Y.; L. S. Watson and wife, Licecester, Mass.; O. Chanute, Mrs. A. E. Boyd, Miss Chanute, Chicago.

La Pintoresca—Mrs. Henry G. Hubbard and maid, Miss A. Aisof, Miss Copeland, Miss L. H. Russell, P. McDonough kussell; Middletown, Ct.; F. G. High, San Francsico.

Carlton Hotel—E. H. Purcell, Chicago; Charles A. Freeze, Boston; B. G. Kraus, New York.

Rochester, N. Y.; L. S. Watson and wife, Liecester, N. S.; L. S. Watson and Wife, Liecester, N. Watson, C. Chicago, Miss Chanute, Chicago, C. Watson, C.; F. G. High, San Francisco, Carlton Hotel—S. B. Kraus, N. W. York, C.; F. G. High, San Francisco, Carlton Hotel—S. B. Kraus, N. W. York, PROBABLE SUICIDE.

News of the alleged suicide of Modes's Crosco, wife of Juan Orcsco, a farm hand employed at the Ailen rauch, about three this afternoon. She is said to have been but 16 years old and had been marrid less th name of the safternoon. She is said to have been but 16 years old and had been marrid less than a mand of the work of the surplyed of the safternoon of the suicide of the safternoon of the suicide of the safternoon of the suicide of the safternoon of the suicide. If such it be, is, therefore, had the conclusion of the body failed to show any rowder in a sail handserchief around her neck. The body has been left undsturbed, awaiting the Coroner's arrival.

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Entries are now open for Sunday's coursing matches at Agricultural Fark. A thi ty-two-dog stake for a pure of \$1.0. Send entries to the accretary at No. 143. Bicasumy (in the rear.) Entrance fee \$1.50; entries classe Thursday evening, when the drawing tance place. There will also be a live-mile r. co oc-ween Bob Hackneys great running ho.sc; Frifece Hooker, and a triplet bioyce ridden by Lacy, Oronwell and Palmer, weather and track permitting.

Coroner Campbell was notified this evening and will he'd an inquest tomorrow morning.

PASADENA BREVITIES

Pasadens Lodge, No. 173, I. O. Good Templars, elected the following officers this evening: Chief Templar E. G. Weil: Vice-Templars, elected the following officers this evening: Chief Templar E. G. Weil: Vice-Templars, Miss Gerretary, Miss Gerred Raiston: Marshal, Miss Olivette Tryer: Treasurer, J. R. Vore: Fuperitary Miss Gertrude Raiston: Marshal, Miss Olivette Tryer: Treasurer, J. R. Vore: Fuperitared and Juvenile Work, Mrs. A. Y. Hoag: Guard, G. A. Taylor: Sentinel, Miss Gertrude Beecher.

The list of property to be sold for unpaid taxes will be advertised Saturday and in reddition to the delinouent taxes, 50 cents will be added to all who pay subsequently, on account of advertising charges. Tax Collector Lacey states that if the delinouent taxes shall be paid before Friday the property will not be advertised in the list.

La C. Torrance, who is now in Europe with

# EWS FROM SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TOWNS,

electric lighting systems of several cities with a view to starting another electric lighting plant in Pasadena, where he was formerly president of the local company, as well as its originator.

Street Super ntendent Buchanan has accepted the sidewalk on North Raymond avenue, from Villa street to the north city limits, and on South Madison avenue between Center and California, and warrants have been drawn therefor.

The funeral of Mrs. Charlotte B. Winter, wife of Thaddeus Winter, will take place from Lippincott's pariors on Wednesday at 2 O'clock. The interment will be in Mountain View Cemetery.

There was quite a fall of snow in North Pasadena. today, but the "beautiful" melted as soon as it touched the ground. A few flakes wandered down into Pasadens.

The officers of Pasadens Encampment, I.O. O.F., were installed this evening by D. D. Deeds, D.D.G.P. of Los Angeles, assisted by two cantons. CHINESE GIVEN AN ENTERTAIN-

The guests of Hotel Green enjoyed a hop this evening.

Try a package of McCament's after-dinner wafers. They aid digestion.

CORONA.

Great Increase in Orange and Lemon Output.

REDLANDS.

Sale of Property-Preparing for

REDLANDS, Jan. 25 .- [Regular Correspond

Record for the Season Established at Riverside.

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 25.—[Regular Correspondence.] Monday night was one of the cold. st of the season; particularly on the East Side. At 10 'clock the mercury registered 2. deg., and soon after it dropped to 24 deg., the lowest point recorded. Reports from other accounts of the valley are of similar effect. Smudging coal lires and a plential use of water were indurged in, and the orchardiss ciaim that no material damage was done.

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SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 25.—[Assoc.ated]

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 25.—[Assoc Press.] Ice laked to thaw out all day if

TRAINLOADS OF TOURISTS.

Two Large Excursion Parties Ar-

rived Yesterday.

The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific excursion arrived yesterday at 1:30 p.m., bringing the following passengers:

C. Ward, whe and tamay, Humbol, lows:

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Entries are Now Open for Sunday's Cours-

ing matches.

Record for the Season Established

Discovery of the History of Forger Games of Beschall-Big Ship-

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 25.—[Regu'ar Correspondence.] A novel entertainment was given Monday evening at the Flist Presbyterian Church by the members of the Presbyterian Chinese Mission. Chung Ying render dasolo that showed the giver to have qualifications of a star, and the addresses by Gee Wo and Quon Wing were entertaining, if not eloquent. Chong Wing told the story of the "First Firecracker," and with the exception of a few slight changes made by Mrs. G. W. Tyler, who has been prominent in tringing these young men into the light of education and advancement, the production prs. n. s. the actual progress the Chinese have made s.nce their connection with the mission.

At the close of the entertainment in the church the Chinese pupils gave a reception to about one hundred of their friends in the mission buliding adjoining, which was given as a Chinese New Year's reception.

FERGUSON IS HIS NAME. wafers. They aid digestion.

Columbia bicycles are made of 5 per cent. nickel steel tubing, which is the strongest in the world. For sale and rent, 87 E. Colorado st.

Pasadena people are delighted with the dainty desserts they get for their home tables at McCament's. Charlotte Russes, chocolate celairs and delicacles of all kinds.

as a Chinese New Year's reception.

FERGUSON IS HIS NAME.

It now transpires that Frank McKeen's real name is W. Ferguson, and that he has quite a checkered career back in indiana, where he claims to have hained from. these of ronce itused for the charge of the county Jail. He was visited yeaterday by a piece sequence, but from the county Jail. He was visited yeaterday by a piece sequence, but refused to take about himself, stating that his sawyers had advised him to keep mum. He stil insisted, however, that his real name was McKeen, but the wires have been regely used between this city and Terie Laute, Lis for mer home, by the Chief of Poice here, and it has been ascertained that his right name is W. Ferguson. It has also been ascertained that he is the black sheep of a respectable family, with a large circue of relatives; that he was adopted by his grandfather at the age of years, but that his criminal nature cropped out in early life, and while yet a very young buy worked his way into the return achool After serving a term there he dasppeared from his old home, since which time he has only occasionally been heard from, and the when in some trouble similar to his San Diogo escapades the first that McKeen was a recent visitor to that city, where he attempted several swinding games but the officer, account of the county of the charge of forgery.

HARBOR DEFENSES.

The California Construction Company is FERGUSON IS HIS NAME. case were dead leaves or failen fruit to be seen.

The increased importance of Corona as a citrus section is shown by the fact that the yield of oranges and lemons last year roached 125 carloads, while conservative estimates place the present crop at \$50 carloads, of which 40 per cent, are lemons and 60 per cent, oranges. This fruit is from 1000 acres of lemon groves and 3000 acres of orange groves, which can be depended on to produce 4000 carloads of fruit within six or eight years. There are 2000 acres of first-cess orange land on the tract not yet planted.

The California Construction Company is now finishing its work on the three big gun emplacements at Bailant Point, the third emplacement having just been completed, and the finishing touches are now being put on preparatory to turning them over to the United States government. It is expected that the contract of the construction company will be fully completed by February I.

The third gun and carriage are both on the war; here from the East. The first two guns and their carriages are at the fortifications awaiting the hardening of the concerte foundations to be set up. It takes about four months for the concrete to become sufficiently hardened to stand the enormous weight of the carriage and gun. It is known that the government is pushing the work along as rapidly as it can be done.

BASEBALL AS SHE IS PLAYED. HARBOR DEFENSES. REDLANDS, Jan. 25.—[Regular Correspondence.] Arthur Gregory has sold to Frank A. Armstrong lot 4, block 18, of the town plat. A. G. Hubbard has sold to the East Highland Orange Company, thirty-six hours flow, every six days, of Plunge Creek water consideration, \$3000.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Washington birthday celebration, was held this afternoon to hear the report of the subcommittee on personal invitation, which has just returned from Los Angeles.

A meeting of the Euilding Committee of the Presbyterian Church was held Monday afternoon. Plans for the new church were discussed and the contract will be let within a few days.

A party of Southern Pacific officials visited

a few days.

A party of Southern Pacific officials visited
Redlands today on an inspection tour.
Bert Armstrong's wheel, which was stolen
from a billiard hall Thursday, was found by
C. O. Bellue, Sunday night, at his home in
San Timoteo Cafion. BASEBALL AS SHE IS PLAYED. BASEBALL AS SHE IS PLAYED.

The series of three games of baseball between the Trilbys (colored) of Los Angeles and different teams of this city was conclused at Bay View Park Monday afternoon by the Trilbys suffering defeat at the hands of a picked team by a score of 20 to 15. Notwithstanding this high score, the playing was good, and the game exciting (Broughout Sunday's game between the Trilbys and Zephyrs was won by the former by a score of 15 to 13, and Saturday's game between the Trilbys and Park team by the latter by a score of 12 to 5.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES. San Timoteo Cañon.

Charles Comington on Monday brought in from Ean Timoteo Cañon the horse and cart belonging to Tom Adams, which were stolen Saturday night.

Fred Ensign has contracted with J. E. Fairchild for the erection of a \$1200 residence on Fourth street.

Albert Laurel, P. W. Moore, Mrs. and Miss Laney, Mrs. H. Simpkins, and Mrs. L. S. Steele were initiated into the O.E.S. Monday night.

SAN DIEGO BREVITIES. SAN DIEGO BREVITIES.

Word was received yesterday that Frank
Stephens, who has been engaged in setting
guideposts on the desert to the Arizona line,
has been found by John Gray at Campo, Gray
and others have been searching for Stephens
for the past several weeks to inform him of
the sudden death of his wife in this city.
Mrs. Stephens died about three weeks ac,
and a week later was buried. Stephens left
this city about a month ago, having been
cent out by the county to erect a line of
guideposts thross the desert to the Arizona
line.

line.

Prof. E. P. Cubberly of the San Diego city schools has been appointed to the assistant professorship of the department of edu at on at Stanford University. The letter containing the appointment was received yesteday by Prof. Cubberly, and was somewhat in the nature of a surprise to him, although he hid some inkling as to what was about to happen. He has accepted the appointment and will leave San Diego at the conclusion of the present school year.

D. V. Carter has driven in from Yuma, bringing with him a story of hard hip of a family cut on the desert. The family consisted of a man, woman, and four small children, they were almost destitute and on foct, trying to find their way to civitive to Carter gave them some arsistance, but he says that unless other help shall reach them som they will surely perish.

Monday morning was the coldest of the season, so far, the thermometer registering 35.8 deg. at 7 o'clock. Sixty miles back in the mountains the cold was severe. At Cuyameca Lake the water is frozen so as to admit of skating.

Deputy Sheriff W. C. Horan of Hedges arrived in San Diego vesterday, with a man Press. I ice laked to thaw out all day in Lee shade yesterday, and at 9 o clock last hight the theirhometer lesi to 31 deg. A severe freeze and damage to the oldings crop has expected. By 2 o clock this housing the thirmometer has gone down to 24 deg. At this time, however, the atmosphere occane Ciolady, and the thormometer rose to 31 deg by 6 o'clock. In Kediands and riighnand and other range districts the thermometer what only to 29 deg., with little or no damage done.

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Deputy Sheriff W. C. Horan of Hedges arrived in San Dieso yesterday, with a man named O'Neill, charged with burglary, O'Neill has been placed in the County Jail to await his preliminary examination.

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Elizabeth W. Dirich, aged 31 years, did Jail and the place of the place of

many more will follow the present week.

A run of one hundred tons of rock will be made at the mill from the North Star mine at Banner this month.

A netition is being circulated for the establishment of a postoffice at Keyes Caffon. this county.

his county.

Licut. J. D. McDonald, U.S.N., has been bridered to join the Monterey from the Moordered to join the atomerey from the Mo-hican.

The trial of George E. Hettle, indicted for burglary, began today in the Superior Court. Eugene L. McMakin of this cty has been appeinted a notary public by Gov. Budd.

The last rainfall was .06 of an inch, mak-ing a total for the season of 2.99 inches.

## Extensive improvements are being made on the hotel at Escondido. CORONADO BEACH.

Distinguished Visitors Arrive at the

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Jan. 25.—[Regular Correspondence.] Among the distinguished arrivals at this resort Monday were Count and Countess Adolph vun Gotten of Germany. The Count is military and navalattaché to the German embassy at Washington, in which city he has made his him for the past number of years. His tri e, who was Mrs. Stanley Lay, is one of the noted beautiss of the national capital. The Count and Countess will sail for Germany shortly, as the Count's American commission expires so. In The Count has an international reputation as an explorer, having made a number of cours in previously unexplored regions in the interest of science. A thousand milits into the heart of Africa was one of his principal tours to benefit science. This trip was made as me years also with a caravan of elephants, the Count taking with him a party of several hundred blacks.

A party of London guests at the hotal control of the production of puddle iron shows a marked decrease yearly while that of Thomas and Bessemer grows rapidly.

sists of John O'Neill, Frederick & Neill, John O'Neill, Jr., and D. Nagle.

Mrs. J. P. Jackson and Miss Jackson of San Francisco are guest at the hotel Francisco are guesta at the hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Porter, Joliet, Ill., were among Monday's arrivals. Miss Gillett of Elkhart, Ill., arrived her Monday evening to spend some time at the hotel.

Coronado,
party from Greater New York ar ived a
hotel Monday, including Mrs. E. Baid,
Miss M. E. Combs and Edward Bald

A party of guests from the notes visited the highest government lighthouse in the world today, on Point Loma. Entries in the golf tournament for Thursday and Friday have been received from Riveride, and a number are expected from Loc Angeles and Pasadena before the tournament begins. Handrome gold prizes will be awarded to the winners.

Water polo promises to become one of the most interesting amusements of the season at Coronado.

Project are Suspended.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 25 .- [Regular Cor

Froject are Suspended.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 25.—(Regular Correspondence.) A matter of a \$100 bond has temporarily, and perhaps permanently, suspended negotiations between the Board of City Trustees and J. C. Elliott with reference to the building of a ple, sure wharf at the foct of Railroad avenue, a franchise for which Mr. Elliott has applied. At the meeting of the board this afternoon a resolution was presented declaring that that body who grant the franchise with certain amendments, as follows:

"First—Said wharf to be not less than imenty feet wide throughout its whose length." "Second—Actual work of constitution to degin on said wharf within sixy days from the granting of the franchise, and said wharf to be fully completed within sixy days from the date of the franchise, and in ial ure the perform either of these conditions said frinchise to iapse and become null and void. "Third—The pians for said wharf must be approved by a competent engineer. "Fourth—The said Elliott to sive a bond in the sum of \$1000, with two acceptable sure dies, for the faithful performance of the povisions of his franchise."

Mr. Elliott was present and said that he would consent to building the wherf twenty feet wide, but he would not undertake to furnish the proposed \$1000 bond. It was explained that the State allows two years for the completion of the work before the franchise may be forfeited. There appearing to be no way to adjust the point of difference, the matter was dropped the board rast adopting the resolution of the work before the franchise fit only there was some guarantee that the wharf would be actually built in the board had finally settled the question as far as he was concerned. He said he expected he would income a far as he was concerned. He said he expected he would confer with the people whom he represented. SANTA MONICA BREVITIES.

The Signal says that ex-Deputy City Marshal Webb has gone to Randsburg.

The Prohibition Congregational Church has adopted resolutions commending the fact on of the Board of City T

### SANTA BARBARA COUNTY. Robbers Raid a House and Then

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 25 .- [Regular Correspondence.] The residence of G. W. Boyer, on West Gutlerrez street, was raided by rob-bers Sunday night while the family were at church, and \$40 in cash and several articles

bers Sunday night while the family were at church, and \$40 in cash and several articles of clothing were taken. The building was then set on fire. The neighbors discovered the blaze and the house was saved by the prompt action of the fire company. The burgiary was discovered after the fire was extinguished, upon the return of the family from church. Some of the clothing has since been found in the bed of Mission Creek, not far from the house.

A fire occurred at the residence of Mrs. G. S. Rizor, on Anacapa street, Sunday night after the family had retired, by the sifting of coals through the brick floor of the fire place to the wooden foundation. The sleeping family were roused by the dense amoke and the fire was located under the house. Picks and axes, garden hose and water buckets in the hands of the neighbors quenched the flames in time to save the house, damage resulting to the furniture, carpet and fireplace only.

A petition to the Mayor and Common Council was in circulation yesterday for the pass-

house, damage resulting to the furniture, carpet and fireplace only.

A petition to the Mayor and Common Council was in circulation yesterday for the passing of an ordinance that will close the shooting park on Sunday and prohibit live-bird shooting matches within the city limits. The pastors of many churches have been agitating the matter. The petition received five hundred signatures in one day's canvass and will be considered by the Common Council at the next meeting.

The steamer Queen arrived from the North yesterday with twenty tons of freight and ten passengers for this port.

Eugene F. Rogers and T. J. McCrosky of this city, salied for Dyea from Seattle on the steamer Corona last Thursday.

H. F. Huntington. Ceneral Manager Kruetschnitt, Engineer Hood and Superintendent Frasier arrived in Surf last Saturday by special train.

Nearly twenty-two thousand boxes of apples have been shipped from the Lompec Valley this season, leaving about two thousand boxes awaiting shipment.

There are twelve thousand acres of land that can be devoted to sugar-beet culture within a radius of twelve miles from Lompoc.

# ORANGE COUNTY.

Gasoline Stove Causes the Partial Gasoline Stove Causes the Partial Destruction of a House.

SANTA ANA, Jan. 25.—[Regular Correspondence.] G. W. Hankins, who lives by himself at No. 110 South Main street, left his house this morning, neglecting to turn off his gesoline stove, the blaze of which ignited the building. When discovered the fire was well under way, but was soon extinguished by the fire department. The loss is estimated at about \$150, fully covered by insurance.

by insurance.

The trial of J. W. Coplin, a detective charged with defrauding a boarding-hous The trial of J. W. Coplin, a detectivecharged with defreuding a boarding-house
keeper, is in progress lefore a jury in Justicle Freeman's court this afternoon. The
complaint was sworn to by Mrs. Sue Larkin,
who alieges that the defendant etopped for
several days at her lodging-house, the Richmond, and took his departure without paying
her. Coplin is one of the detectives employed
here during the working up of the Mollin
and Mysterious Bill Wright cases. He admits contracting the bill and that it has
never been paid, but claims that he has not
been remunerated in full for his services.

Dr. R. Vans Agnew returned from a trip
to Failbrook this morning, and upon his
arrival found a cablegram awaiting him, announcing the death of his father at Elarritz,
France. The old gentleman leaves a large
estate, and the junior Vans Agnew-falls helr
to a large part of it.

In the Superior Court this morning. N. A.
Ulm was appointed assignee of the estate
of Charles Yost, insolvent, with bond fixed
at 150.

The druggists of Santa Ana have gone Intorn agreement to close their stores at 3
o'clock in the evening, except on Saturday
and Sunday.

SAN BERNARDING COUNTY. Judge Campbell Refuses a New Trial

to McKee.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 25. — [Regular Correspondence.] Judge Campbell today reused to grant a new trial in the case of William McKee, and the delendant was sentenced to pay a fine of \$860, or go to jail for 150 lays. Any portion of the line pand is to be redited to McKee's imprisonment at the rate of \$2 a day.

was the only one found by that body.

TROUBLE IN A CHURCH.

Rev. R. A. Martin, late pastor of the Christian Church of this city, who was recently "indorsed" by some of the local cleigymen and who contemplated an immediate call to Santa Barbara, may not go to Santa Barbara after ail, for the reason that the call is outed by the board of trustees, has not been ratified by the congregation.

Rev. Mr. Martin's indursement by the Ministral Association is not concevered in by

"SILVER SHINNED" TO ANSWER.

H. H. McVaughan, alias "Silver Shinned," has been bound over to answer to the Un ted States grand jury on the charge of d.layl.g the mails. The examination was held before United States Commissioner Cole. The t stomony went to show that while the de endant d.d not exactly hold up the sage operat.g between Twenty-nine Palms and Dale Cly, be did delay it through the posuasive influence of a shotgum, until a bill, alleged to be due him for the care of the horses, had been paid. McVaughan's bail was fix d. at 15%, which he was unable to furnish. He was returned to the jail, awalting being summoned to Los Angeles.

SAN FERNARDINO BREVITIES. "SILVER SHINNED" TO ANSWER.

BERNARDINO BREVITIES. SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.
Victoria Michener has begun procedings for divorce against George W. Michener.
James Cooper of Rediands, a foim r retident of San Bernardino, was today fined \$5 for fast driving.

The Websteis met in regular session Monday night. C. W. Foy spoke on "The Grand Jury as a Farce," George Wixon t Ikei abeut the Cuban revolution. B. F. Blue & Edicussed the Golden Jubilee; C. E. Milham spoke on "The Alassian Gold Fields," and J. F. Coiwell gave a recitation.

# RIVERSIDE COUNTY.

Most Exciting Came of Polo of the RIVERSIDE, Jan. 25.—[Regular Correspondence.] The last game of polo played was one of the most exciting of the series. The teams lined up as follows: Black—H. was one of the most exciting of the ceries. The teams lined up as follows: Black—H. Maude, D. Mackey, J. Norton, R. L. Henderson: white—C. E. Maude, F. Fox, C. Fox, V. Flowers. Three periods were played. In the first period the blacks scored 2 points and the whites none. In the second period McNab took F. Flowers' place. The blacks again scored 2 and shut out their opponents. In the third period, the players were reduced to three on a side, and each eidescored 2 points, making the total scoreblacks, 6; whites, 2. In the second period Norton rode Henderson's pony "Silver Blaze" and coilided with Mackey, but nobody was hurt. Fox took a bad header in this period, it is expected that the Burlingam team will play here later in the season.

William Irving has opened his golf links on Victoria avenue.

A tennis tournament will be held on Washington's birthday at the Casa Blanca courts. A programme of races is also being arranged for the same day at the pologrounds.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

rounds. RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

The Southern Pacific has begun the work of grading the track on Market street. The company has made application to the city for crushed rock for the foundation of the new depot building.

At the last meeting of the Supervisors the Horticultural Commissioners were authorized to purchase additional tents and other paraphernalia used in fumigating work. Bids will be advertised for at once, and as soon as the new outfit is received the work of turn gaine for chards will be pushed more vigorously than ever before.

Sheriff Johnson returned from San Quentin Saturday night, where he went with embearaier white and Burglars McFarland and Conton. Sunday morning the Sheriff left againers and quentin, with Dick Covington, centened to fifteen months' imprisonment for robbing a drunken man at San Jacinto.

Miss Edith Elliott died Monday at the home of her parents on North Orange stret. The funeral services were held this aftermoon at the Baptist Church.

Mrs. W. F. Shrede of Perris is still firm in the belief that the man found murdered in the river bottom was her husband. Some miners who attended a dance at Perris Seturday night, when shown a photograph of the dead men, all said be was A. D. Ray, a for-

Minn et all, to collect a primissory note for 1128.52. Rebecca A. Carreter et al., are sued by the said association for \$400. Margaret L. Huey has been granted a divorce by Judge Noyes from Willim V. Huey. The father is given the custody of the elderchild and the mother was given the younger. At the competitive of li of Co. M he d Munday night, Private Will Pann was sward d the Simms medal for bens the best-drilled m n in the company. A second prize, don't, d by J. S. Barker, was awarded to Private Thompsen.

Western Kansas is overrun this year Western Kansas is overrun this year with coyotes. It was thought that they had been almost exterminated by the warfare made by the settlers of the new country, but reports from that section indicate that they are multiplying instead of diminishing. They have killed thousands of sheep, and even go into the farmers' hen-houses and kill their chickens. even go into the farme and kill their chickens.

# SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

Day Dispatches Condensed.

A cablegram from Liverpool says John Laird, the shipbuilder of Birkenhe-d, is dead R. J. Rateliffe, the actor, was indicad by the New York grand jury yesterday for per-

British troops have occupied Okute, in Bergu territory, West Africa. The p seer sion of Porsu is disputed between France and Great Eritain.

After a disorderly scene, the Beigium Chember rejected by a vote of 86 to 92 yearday a Socialist motion condemning the action of the officers of the House.

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to March 4, 1861.

Advices from the New York Heral''s correspondent in Colon state that memorial revelees were held there Menday in Chris' Christon and the Wesleyen mission for United Sistes Consul William W. Ashby, Dr. W. H. f. men, the German Consul, and D. G. Mott, master mechanic of the Panama Railread, who will drowned while out beating a week 250. This seems now to be no hope of recovering their bedies.

# LUETGERT PERPLEXED.

Serions Attack Made on the Sausage man's Rusiness Character.
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—The cross-exami-nation of Adolph L. Luetgert was re-sumed by State's Attorney Deenen today. Questions that constituted a serious attack on his business character were put to Luetgert by the State's Attorney, and at times the defendant became somewhat perplexed and moved sified the books of his concern in order to sell it, whether he had not burned the books, and whether he had not shipped goods from the factory in order to defraud his creditors, to all of which replied: "I don't recollect any such

# CIVIL-SERVICE DECISION.

The President Alone Held to Have [ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NASHAVILLE, January 25 .- United States Judge Burton has decided the injunction case of W. D. Morgan vs. D. A. Nunn. Revenue Collector, involving the question of Nunn's power under the civil-service law, holding that the court had no jurisdiction, and that the Chief civil-service rules and laws. case on trial Judge Burton says: "That the authoritative orders of the Chief Executive have been or are about to be most flagrantly violated by the defendant is not denied."

Los Angeles People Interested. HANNIBAL (Mo..) Jan. 25.—The trial to break the will of Sausser of this city, who left a fortune valued at \$150,-000 to the Presbyterian College of Ful 000 to the Presbyterian College of Ful-ton, Mo., has been begun in the Court of Common Pleas here. The deceased had no children, and provided for his wife with an annuity of \$2500. The suit is brought by Eugene Riggin and Mrs. Isabelia Thornton of Los Angeles, Cal., children of a half-brother.

Made That One Safe. [Ohio State Journal:] "Ma," said lit-tle Tommy Brown, "is there any more pumpkin pies?" "There is just one in the pantry," re-plied Mrs. Brown, "but I am saving

that for supper."
"I mean is there any more besides "I mean is there that one."
"No. Why do you ask?"
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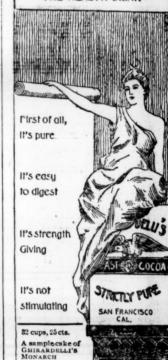


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RECALLED BY MRS. KRING'S DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS.

Text of the Opinion in the San Luis Obispo Bond Case Decided by the Supreme Court—A Railway Damage Suit.

A resolution was introduced in the City Council yesterday by Grider pro-viding that an investigation be made into the feasibility of obtaining for the city an adequate supply of moun-tain water. The resolution was car-

The resignation of Park Commisdoner R. J. Waters was presented to the Council and accepted. Albert Car-les Jones has been agreed upon as successor and will be appointed

next week:
The Police Commissioners adopted a resolution instructing the Chief to en-force the ordinance which prohibits saloons from keeping open on Sundays and after midnight. The Commissioners also ordered an investigation into the charges made against the recently appointed policeman, Pascual Hirlart Mrs. Harvey Kring obtained a di

vorce from her husband yesterday on the ground of descrition. Kring was one of the robbers implicated with Jones and McCarty in the attempt to rob the vault of the First National

Bank over two years ago.

The Supreme Court opinion in which
a \$30,000 municipal bond issue of the
city of San Luis Obispo is declared illegal, reached here yesterday. The questions involved are of interest to municipalities contemplating the is-

The attorneys have opened the argument in the Creede case. It will probably take them a week to finish.

(AT THE CITY HALL.)

# SAVIORS OF THE PEOPLE.

GRIDER AND HIS RUNNING MATE

Can Now Play Moses and Lead the Way into the Promised Land.
A. C. Jones to Be the New Park Commissioner.

The weekly meeting of the City Council was held yesterday, Monday having been a holiday. Both morning and afternoon sessions were largely oc-cupied with routine business. The most important action taken was the appointment of a special committee to investigate the feasibility of obtaining a

vestigate the feasibility of obtaining a supply of mountain water sufficient for the city's needs.

The resignation of Park Commissioner R. J. Waters was presented and accepted, but no successor was elected. It is expected that the vacancy will be filled next Monday.

The report of the commissioners upon the proposed opening of an alley

the proposed opening of an alley through the block bounded by Fourth, CITY ENGINEER'S REPORT.

CITY ENGINEER'S REPORT.

The City Engineer presented final ordinances, which were adopted by the Council, for the following improvements: Changing and establishing the grade of Figueroa street from the south line of Fifth street to a point 300 feet north of the north line of Fifth street; establishing the grade of McGarry street from Eighth street to Ninth street; establishing the grade of Twenty-seventh street from the Grand-avenue and Adams-street tract to the Treat tract.

An ordinance fixing the width of the

Treat tract.

An ordinance fixing the width of the sidewalks on Thirty-first street between Orchard avenue and Vermont avenue at nine feet was presented and adopted.

Ordinances of intention were adopted as follows: To grade and gravel and construct a cement curb on Fourteenth street from Rich street to Valencia street; to construct a cement curb and walk six feet wide, on each side of Banning street from Alameda street to Center street; to establish the grade of Western avenue from Pico street to Jefferson street. efferson street.
The City Engineer reported that the

The City Engineer reported that the proposed grading, etc., of First street between Boyston street and Toluca street would be inadvisable on account of discrepancies in the official grade. He made a similar report concerning proposed improvements on Jefferson street from Figueroa to Key West, and on Fremont avenue from First to Mignonette streets.

Mignonette streets.

The protest against the grading of McGarry street, from Ninth to Fourteenth streets, was sustained, the City ngineer having reported that the protestants represented a majority of the

THEIR OPPORTUNITY.

There was close attention in the Council Chamber when the clerk read the following motion, offered by Gri-

the following motion, offered by Grider!

"The Water Supply Committee and the Fire and Water Committee, with the City Engineer, are hereby requested to investigate and report to the Council whether or not it is feasible and practicable to construct a water system which will bring water into the city from a mountain source, and in sufficient quantities for all domestic purposes, and with a sufficient pressure for fire purposes. And they are requested to report within three weeks from this date."

Toll at once offered an amendment that the reference be to a committee of three, to be appointed by the chair. He said that he recognized the necessity of a full investigation of the extent of the city's water supply. To this end the Council should ascertain whether a supply could be obtained from the mountains. But such a piece of work would be quite distinct from that with which the Water Committee is now occupied. The Water Committee would be fully occupied for weeks to come, and Toll therefore recommended a reference to special committee.

This amendment met with some position from Grider and the Eighthward Populist, but was finally carried by a vote of 6 to 3, Nickell voting with the Republican majority and Ashman taking up the cause of the two professional agitators of the Council.

The original motion, as amended, whether carried

is then carried. President Silver at once annou

that he would name Grider, Hutchison and Mathuss as the members of the

CITY HALL PLUMBING.

The Building Superintendent and the Plumbing Inspector presented a report upon the plumbing in the City Hall. The report recommended radical changes and improvements, specifications being submitted: The cost of the work was estimated at the modest sum of \$2900. The matter was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings, where it will probably slumber harmlessly. The finances are not so flush that the Council is likely to expend \$3000 for plumbing.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS. CITY HALL PLUMBING.

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The City Attorney presented a report recommending that disclaimers be filed in a number of suits to quiet title, in which the city is defendant. The report was adopted.

The clerk read a resolution adopted by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce, requesting the Council to make investigation of the economy and benefits of having all electric, telegraph and telephone wires laid in one conduit, in each street. The matter was referred to the Board of Public Works.

The Southern California Railway Company petitioned the Council to grant a franchise for a change in the route of its main line between First street and the Southern Pacific crossing on Mission street. The new route as proposed in the petition cuts through a number of blocks. The petition was referred to the Board of Public Works.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

Debate Over a Proposed Alley-Park Commissioner Resigns. The protest against the widening

San Fernando street had been set fo hearing at 2 o'clock, but according to precedent now well established the matter was once more postponed for two weeks.

The protest against the opening of

Quierola street from Chavez to Alham bra avenue came on for hearing. Sev eral of the protestants stated their objections, but further hearing was finally continued till next Monday. jections, but further hearing was, finally continued till next Monday.

A prolonged discussion occurred over the protest of J. H. Jones et al. against the approval of the commissioners' report upon the preposed opening of an alley in the block bounded by Fourth, Fifth, Spring and Main streets. Mr. Jones owns a four-story brick building on Fifth street, midway between Main and Spring. The commissioners proposed to cut an opening through the first story of the building. An error had been made in their report and Toil contended strongly that the report should be sent back to them for correction. He pointed out the manifest absurdity of allowing the error to pass uncorrected. His colleagues, however, were not disposed to share his view and the commissioners' report was approved. Toil alone voting no. READY TO TAKE GRIFFITH PARK. was approved, Toll alone voting no. READY TO TAKE GRIFFITH PARK.

The following resolution was offered and unanimously adopted:
"Resolved, that the City Clerk be and

"Resolved, that the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to notify G. J. Griffith that the survey of the lands proposed to be given to the city of Los Angeles by him has been completed, and that he be requested to meet the City Engineer during the week and execute a deed in accordance with said survey; also that the City Engineer be, and he is hereby, instructed to place permanent monuments along the northeasterly boundaries of said property."

PARK COMMISSIONER WATERS RESIGNS. RESIGNS.

It has been known for some time that Park Commissioner R. J. Waters de-sired to resign his position, and was sired to resign his position, and was only waiting until his successor could be chosen. Yesterday his resignation was presented and read by the clerk. It was dated January 17, and Mr. Waters asked that the resignation take effect at once. It was accepted, but owing to the absence of one of the Republican Councilmen, no attempt was made to fill the vacancy.

STREET SWEEPING. Several of the Councilmen seemed to be imbued with the desire to have the streets more frequently awent.

Blanchard secured the passage of a motion that First street, from Main street to Santa Fé avenue, be swept six times a week, instead of three times as at present. times as at present.

Ashman was more modest and only asked that Third street, from Los Angeles street to Santa Fé avenue, be swept once in two weeks. The request

was granted.
The Populist misrepresentative of the Eighth Ward followed suit with a motion that Commercial street, from Main street to Alameda, be swept four times a week, instead of three as at present. The motion was carried.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

A motion by Nickell that the City Engineer be instructed to prepare plans and specifications for a bridge over the Arroyo Seco at Well street was referred to the Bridge Committee.

On motion by Mathuss the City Engineer was instructed to establish the grade of Fourth street from Olive to Grand avenue.

The sum of \$100 was transferred from the general park building fund to the Echo Park fund.

On motion by Blanchard the Chief of Police was instructed to sell to J. W. Menzer, for \$20, a second-hand bath tub and closet in the basement of the Police Station. MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

#### POLICE COMMISSION. Saloon Laws to Be Enforced-An Investigation Ordered.

The Police Commissioners held a brief session yesterday morning, but two important resolutions

The first was offered by Commissioner Wyman and instructed the Chief of Police "to enforce the ordinance regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors." In offering the motion Mr. Wyman explained that it was directed especially against those saloon men who are in the habit of selling liquor on Sundays and after midnight. He on sundays and after midnight. He said that he was actuated by a sense of duty and a desire to do justice to honest saloen men who close their places, while others keep open with impunity. Mr. Gibbon promptly seconded the motion and it was unanimously

introduced by Mr. Preuss and was as follows:

"Whereas, certain rumors derogatory to the moral character and fitness for a place on the police force of this city are being circulated with reference to Pascual Hirlart, recently appointed by this commission a member of the police force, be it

"Resolved, that at the next session of this commission on Tuesday, February 1, 1898, this commission proceed to investigate any and all information or charges which may be placed before this commission affecting the moral character and fitness of said Pascual Hirlart for a position upon the force, and all perties having any information concerning said matter are requested to furnish the same to the commission

concerning said matter are requested to furnish the same to the commission prior to said next session."

The resolution was adopted without comment, and the Chief was instructed to notify Hiriart to be present at the next meeting. Hiriart is the officer who was appointed two weeks ago. Henry Bickel asked the commission to grant him a license for a saloon at the northwest corner of First and Los Angeles streets. The application was referred to the Chief.

A request was received from the

riation that John M. Hoefling be ap-pointed a special policeman without pay, to serve at the Hall of Industry. The clerk was, instructed to notify Hoefling to put in his application in

proper form.

An application from Robert Kern for the transfer to himself of the license for the saloon at First and Broadway, now held by Theodore Friese, was referred to the Chief.

John Schneider's request that the license for the saloon at No. 500 Wolfskill avenue be transferred to himself was granted, upon the recommendation of the Chief.

The application of Anthony Kelly for appointment as a policeman was

or appointment as a policeman eceived and filed.

### NEW PARK COMMISSIONER. A. C. Jones Will Be Appointed to

Albert Carlos Jones has been selected to fill the vacancy in the Park Com-mission caused by the resignation of R. J. Waters. Mr. Jones has consented to accept the position, and his appoint-ment will be made by the Council next Monday.

Mr. Jones is a resident of the Fifth Ward, and as a business man is well and favorably known. He is secretary of the Los Angeles Furniture Company, and last week he was elected a direc-tor of the Merchants' and Manufactur-ers' Association. In politics he is a Republican.

#### BONDS RETIRED.

Belated Appearance of Some of the City's Paper.

City Treasurer W. A. Hartwell took which were retired by the refunding issue made last spring. Of the bonds taken up yesterday \$2500 was in 7 per cent. bonds of 1881, the remainder being general improvement bonds bearing per cent.
Interest on all of these bonds ceased

six months ago, but the holders failed to turn them in. About \$15,000 of these old honds are still outstanding.

[AT THE COURT HOUSE.]

### MRS. KRING'S DIVORCE.

RECALLS A STUPENDOUS ATTEMPT

tring and Stewart, Who Were Im plicated in the Tunnel Scheme, Took Flight from the City Together and are Now Supposed to Be in South America

The story of the attempt to rob th vault of the First National Bank over two years ago was recalled yesterday when Judge Smith granted a divorce to Mrs. Harvey Kring. The decree was made on the ground of desertion and failure to provide.

Harvey Kring is the man who, in

connection with James McCarty, Jones and Stewart, undertook the scheme of and Stewart, undertook the scheme of tunneling from the cellar under Jones's saloon, on Commercial street, to the valult of the First National Bank. McCarty is now serving ten years in San Quentin. Jones is free, having turned States evidence, and Kring and Stewart, the other two members of the gang, are supposed to be in South America.

Mrs. Kring has not heard from her husband since his flight from the city a few days before the tunnel scheme was exposed. She has been living with her mother and three children, ranging in ages from 4 to 7 years, at No. 227 South Walnut street.

When Kring maried his wife he held a responsible position with H. J. Woollacott, the Spring-street liquor dealer. He was detected at pilfering from the money which passed through his hands, and was discharged. He then deserted his wife and began to associate with known hard characters. For two years he did nothing whatever toward her support. He finally fell in with McCarty and engaged with him in the scheme to tunnel under the First National Bank and rob the vault.

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scheme to tunnel under the First National Bank and rob the vault.

Jones, who ran a saloon on Commercial street, was taken into the enterprise and the tunnel was started from his cellar. The tunnel had been driven over a hundred feet, and the lower vault beneath the one containing the money safes, had been reached when the robbers discovered that their calculations were wrong and were obliged to abandon their work.

McCarty's more recent exploits, when he cut out of his cell at the County Jail and had only one more tier of bricks between him and liberty, when his work was discovered, wast told in full by the newspapers at the time.

full by the newspapers at the time. He is now in San Quentin, whither he went declaring that he would never serve out his sentence.

Will Be Introduced to Show How Barley Patch Caught Fire.

A jury in Department One is puzzling over the question of whether or not it is possible for an oil-burning locomois possible for an oil-burning locomotive to throw cinders that would set a barley patch on fire under favorable conditions. The question was raised yesterday during the trial of a suit brought by Dr. D. K. Wise against the Southern California Railway Company for \$500 damages alleged to have been sustained through the firing of a lot of barley on his ranch near Redondo.

In their answer to the complaint, the railroad people state that they were using oil-burning engines at the time that the fire occurred, and that it would have been impossible for their engines to have thrown off cinders that would set fire to the stubble. On the other hand the plaintiff claims that oil-burning engines do cast off sparks, and he is prepared to prove his assertion by a number of witnesses, who will be placed upon the stand and will testify that they have seen sparks flying from the engines as they sped along the railroad.

The defense will offer expert taxtitive to throw cinders that would set

road.

The defense will offer expert testimony to prove that these statements are not true and then the jury will be called upon to decide whether the railway engines set Dr. Wise's barley after or whether it was consumed by spontaneous combustion.

# THOSE ILLEGAL BONDS.

Finding of the Supreme Court in the San Luis Obispo Case.

A copy of the Supreme Court opin-ion was received here yesterday, in which the issuance of \$90,000 in bonds for municipal improvements in the city of San Luis Obispo is declared in-valid upon the ground that the electors did not follow the resolution of the Board of Trustees in the matter of vot-

issued and many holders of the bonds petitioned for another hearing. The matter was heard en banc and the opinion of the commissioners was unanimously affirmed, reversing the judgment of the lower court.

The appellant presented three grounds upon which he contended that the issuance of the bonds was illegal: First, that the bonds are made payable in gold coin of the United States instead of being made "payable in gold coin of the United States;" second, that at the election upon the question of their issuance the votes were not east in accordance with the terms of the ordinance by which the question was submitted; third, that the question was submitted; third, that the duestion whether the interest on the bonds should be paid annually or semi-annually was not submitted to the voters.

The court finds that the statute

annually was not submitted to the voters.

The court finds that the statute claces no limitation upon the mode of payment of the bonds and says: "In the absence of any limitation upon the mode of payment they would be payable in any lawful money of the United States, and as a provision in the bonds giving to the municipality the alternative of paying them in gold coin or in lawful money of the United States, would create no obligation upon it to make the payment in gold coin, it follows that the "lawful money" in which they would be paid would be that kind which the municipality would elect at their maturity and, consequently, the kind which at that time would have the least value. It cannot be held that the words "shall be payable in gold coin or lawful meney of the United States" were inserted in the statute merely for the purpose of declaring that the municipality should have the option at the maturity of the bonds to pay them in gold coin, or in lawful money, since it needed no legislative declaration to give it that option. The fact that they were payable in money would itself confer upon it that the

fact that they were payable in money would itself confer upon it that privilege.

The provision in the statute that the bonds shall be payable in gold coin or in lawful money of the United States and that they shall be sold for their face value clearly indicates that the municipality should exercise its option in the mode of their payment, at the issuance of the bonds and not at their maturity, and that the bonds themselves should be payable in the kind of money for which they were to be sold. The resolution of the Board of Trustees stated that the voter should signify his intention by writing the word "yes" or "no" after the proposition for the issuance of the bonds, but the tickets were printed with these words on them, and the voter was instructed to stamp a cross opposite the proposition which he desired to cast his vote for. The court says:

"In the absence of any direction the manner in which the voter is to indicate his wieh may be immaterial, so long as his wish can be ascertained, but when the mode of its indication has been prescribed by authority of law, the form becomes a matter of sub-

long as his wish can be ascertained, but when the mode of its indication has been prescribed by authority of law, the form becomes a matter of substance and the courts are not authorized to say that it may be disregarded and that the wish of the voter may be determined by conjecture. Whatever the statute requires the form to be is mandatory. In the present case it may be reasonable to conjecture as to which way the votes cast were intended, but still it is only a matter of conjecture. If the voters had drawn a line through the "yes" it might be supposed that they intended to vote against the issuance of the bonds; but, if instead of drawing a line through the 'yes' they had stamped an 'X' directly upon it, it would be uncertain whether they intended in this mode to indicate an affirmative vote or have it count as a negative. It is equally a matter of conjecture, though perhaps less an uncertainty, where the 'X' has been placed at the side of the 'yes, instead of upon it.

"The only safe rule is to hold the

certainty, where the 'X' has been placed at the side of the 'yes, instead of upon it:

"The only safe rule is to hold the specific directions to be mandatory, and that the manifest disregard of them by the voter renders his vote nugatory. The notice which was printed upon the tickets that were used by the voters to vote for or against a proposition stamp an 'X' in the square at the right, was unauthorized end gave the voters no right to disregard the manner of voting which was directed by the ordinance calling the election. That direction in the ordinance was clear and unambiguous, and it must be held that, as it was disregarded, the election was invalid."

The question of the validity of the bonds for not stating the amount of the interest nor where it was to be paid, the court says, is treated by the statute, and it is immaterial whether the bonds or the resolution make any mention of these matters.

## STREET RAILWAY REORGANIZED The Main-street Company Files New

The Main, Fifth and San Pedro Street Railway Company filed articles of incorporation yesterday with the County Clerk. This is simply a reor-ganization of the old company, which has always operated its lines as an independent company. The capital stock of the company is placed at \$500,000, of which amount \$35.000 has been ac-tually subscribed.

tually subscribed.

The directors in the reorganized company are Lovell White and Antone Borel of San Francisco, and Frank A. Gibson, James W. Hellman, J. Kuhrts, James C. Kays and W. C. Patterson of Los Angeles.

# BIRD'S SECOND TRIAL.

A Jury Was Secured in the Cas Vesterday.

The second trial of R. A. Bird or charge of forging the name of G. Griffith to a check for \$200, drawn on the First National Bank, began yes-terday before Judge Smith in Depart-ment One. A jury was secured One. A jury was secured before the hour of adjournmorning.

The prosecution will be conducted The prosecution will be conducted by Asst. Dist.-Atty. McComas and Byron L. Oliver. It is stated that much new evidence has been secured since the last trial of Bird, which resulted in a disagreement of the jury. Bird appeared in court yesterday morning dressed as usual in his long black ministerial coat. His wife accompanied him and sat at his side all, day, while the jury was being selected.

#### THE ARGUMENT HAS BEGUN. Attorneys Will Now Talk for

Week About the Creede Case, The argument on that branch of the Creede case which was finished last week began yesterday before Judge Clark. From the present outlook it will last a week. Mr. Finlayson opened the argument for the contestant. Placed in front of him were 125 law volumes, to which he expects to refer before his conclusion. Mr. Gage will open the argument for the proponents of the

# PLOTSAM AND JETSAM.

Board of Trustees in the matter of voting. The question was submitted at a municipal election and carried. Theresafter, P. W. Murphy, a heavy taxpayer, commenced proceedings in the Superior Court to test the validity of the election. A decision was rendered in favor of the defendants, and the pleintiff appealed the case.

The opinion is one that is of interest to all cities that contemplate holding municipal bond elections since the question was decided by the Supreme Court on the manner in which the election was conducted. The commissioners of the Supreme Court decided the case several months ago, but many cities of the State in which bonds had been several months.

victed of embezzlement, another stay of execution until next Monday. The equest by Woodruff's attorney was cquiesced in by Asst. Dist-Atty. Williams. Woodruff's brother, Sam, who is add to be the person who committee the embezzlement, has not yet beer ound, although J. D. Williams, whe eported the matter to the District Atorney after the trial, stated that he ould lead an officer right to the placewhere he was staying. Woodruff's atorney stated yesterday morning that electives are on the track of Sam and expect to catch him inside of a few 'yys, as it is thought he has not left the city.

he city. MUST PAY ALIMONY. J. F. Bell appeared before Judge Van Dyke yes terday morning in response to a citation to show cause why he had not paid his wife \$20 per month alimony as ordered by the court. Mr. and Mrs. Bell are living apart, but are not divorced Bell pleaded that he had been unable to secure work for several months as a reason for not obeying the order of the court. He was commanded to pay \$5 a week hereafter toward his wife's support.

GRANTED A DIVORCE Judge Torrance yesterday granted a decree divorcing Alice T. McPherson from G. W. McPherson. The couple have been married only a short time, and have been living at San Pedro. The divorce was granted on the ground of extreme cruelty.

A NEW CITIZEN. Judge Shaw yes-terday granted papers of citizenship to Alfred Jackson, a native of England.

COMMITTED TO HIGHLAND. Mrs. Lucia A. Harris was examined before Judge Shaw as to her sanity yesterday and committed to Highland.

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May Irwin has just purchased \$85,-000 worth of improved real estate in Greater New York, and a new play by Paul Wilstach, called "His First Offense." This is also Mr. Wilstach's first offense as a playwright. He is said to be dramatic critic on a Wasnington newspaper. Miss Irwin will, it is said, go to London to play her present piece, "The Swell Miss Fitzwell," taking along her American company. The Dramatic Mirror claims to have discovered that the first act of "The Conquerors." Faul M. Potter's play now being given by the Empire Stock Company, was based on a story by De Maupassant, called "Mile. Fife," and that the three subsequent acts were taken bodily from Sardon's "La Haine." The latter is the play presented by Robert Downing during his last engagement here under the title "Helena," and will be remembered as about the frankest exposition of things generally left untold ever set forth upon the local stage. The Mirror account would indicate that in "The Conquerors" Potter has brutalized Sardou where the latter was supposed to have exceeded the proprieties of the stage.

American actors and American plays vie with each other for favor in London. Even the music halls are given over to Americans to a degree. Shoals of actors have gone to that bourne known vaguely as "the other side." Some are heard of again, and others—well, they come back and say London isn't such a great place after all. But the list of Americans who have made a pronounced hii in the British metropolis is larger this year than ever before. Helen Bertram (Mrs. E. J. Henley,) who went over only a few weeks ago, secured the title role in "La Perichole," and made such a sensation that he has been engaged as principal boy for Oscar Barrett's production of "Cinderella." Miss Bertram figured mildly in comic operas here, her last appearance being in the rejuvanted "Kismet." Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Drew are in great demand in musiq halls. W. E. Ritchie, the tramp bicylist of "In Gay New York" is overwhelmed with offers. Titenia, the heleph

of view, that has lately been seen here. The only question in my mind is whether or not it happens to be of the peculiar degrees of worthlessness that make it a great box-office success. Does it possess the supernatural heaviness and horror of 'The Girl From Paris'.' For the sakes of Miss Lipman and Louis Mann, who have worked valiantly in its behalf, and for the sakes of Messrs. Lederer and McLellan, who have given it a fine production; I hope it is deadly enough to please the popular taste.''

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Isabel Irving is much disturbed because in Anthony Hope's sequel to "The Prisoner of Zenda" Flavia and Rassendyll are planning to meet. "I always felt a lump in my throat in that last scene in 'Zenda' when Rassendyll eaves Flavia forever," she says, "and I was invariably woefully sad every time the final curtain fell. But just the same the artistic end pleased me, and I enjoyed the task of meeting grim fate behind the footlights. Now, however, the sublime end of the novel from which the play was adapted is robbed of its force by the preparations Hope is making to bring his hero and heroine face to face again, and I feel that I nover want to hear of Flavia again. I am sorry I ever liked her."

# Wife-beating in England.

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[New York Commercial Advertiser:]
Editor of the Commercial Advertiser:
Sir: In view of the six months' sentence for wife-beating in the Ratcliffe case, it may interest your readers to know how such crimes are, or at least were, punished in England. In 1881 I collected from the British press during three months, all accounts at convictions for wife-beating. The result was published in a pamphlet which I called "The Wife-Beaters' Manual." A guide to husband's connubial corrections, with a list of prices attached. Following are a few extracts from this pamphlet:

"Two shillings 6 pence—Throwing the fire irons at the head of his wife on the head with a piece of wood, two months after marriage.

"Six shillings—Beating his wife sev-

er.il times, kicking her with his feet, n the breast, tearing her hair out-rying to strangle her and knocking her against the bed. Another pushing its wife in the fire and burning her

"One pound sterling-A black eye, tryng to cut his wife's throat, striking her with his head in the breast, throw-ng a cup of hot tea in her face, after aving boxed her ears.
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"Three pounds sterling—Kicking her in the stomach, disabling her, for weeks to do any work."

The list is much longer, but I only want to quote what fun a man may have in England, for six months' imprisonment. Here is a case: Cutting his wife's face with a knife, beating her with a lamp, breaking one of her arms, kicking her while on the ground helpless, tearing off her clothes and burning them. Yours faithfully.

HENRY ROMEIKE.

### TOO EASY FOR HER

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[Washington Post:] Some of the members of the Ways and Means Committee are laughing heartily over a clever scheme which has been put into operation in Boston to evade the dusies of the new Dingley toriff. It seems that just before the law was passed a syndicate of Boston gentlemen purchased a mineral spring near Toronto, intending to ship the water into this country under the low tariff of the then prevailing law. Mr. Dingley, however, placed a duty of 24 cents a gallon upon all imported waters, in order, probably, to nourish the infant industry of the

# DANGEROUS DAYS.

They are Upon Us and They Need to Be Watched Very Carefully ..

Of all times, of all seasons of the year this is the most dangerous. It is a time when the air is filled with disease, when the wind wafts pneumonia. The deaths from this one trouble alone are simply alarming, and in spite of all warnings they seem to be increasing. Pneumonia comes suddenly; it acts quickly; it far too often results fatally. It is all the more dangerous because it comes unannounced. A tickling in the throat, a tightness of the chest and a difficulty in breathing, an extreme feeling of languor, all may mean ness of the chest and a difficulty in breathing, an extreme feeling of languor, all may mean the beginning of pneumonia. Being so sudden a disease it requires above all things prompt treatment. If a prompt reaction is brought about the danger may be over; if not, the end may be near. Any physician who is called in a case of pneumonia prescribes stimulants instantly, such as pure whisky—all else is useless.

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Montreal Contemplates Passing a Law to Regulate Them,

[Troy (N. Y.) Times:] The biliposter nuisance has become so serious in Montreal that a law will probably be passed by the Quebec Legislature to regulate the placing of placards in public view. The agitation has developed in a very strong opposition to all posters, whether they be openly improper or comparatively inoffensive, and it is suggested that a law be enacted which will forbid bill-posting altogether. If Canada takes such a step it will serve as a hint to American States and cities.

There is really no excuse for the big billboard, plastered over with glaring advertisements, and doubtless the theatrical managers, who are the chief patrons of the billboards, would be the first to welcome the movement for their abandonment. So long as one advertiser resorts to this practice all are compelled to follow the example, but should the law step in and forbid it altogether there would be little or no protest. No one would be injured and many would be benefited. The billboard is an eyesore and its passing would be halled with eatisfaction by the public. The advertising columns of live newspapers are the best mediums by which to gain the attention and patronage of the public.

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